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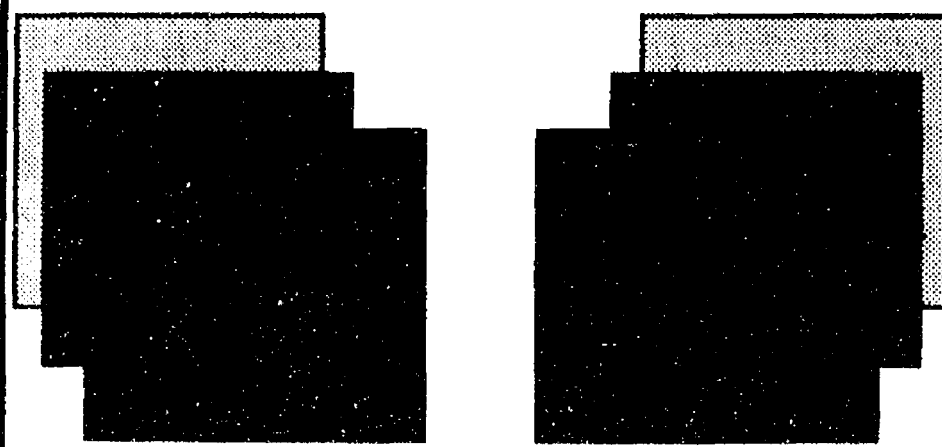
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Shawono Center adding co-educational detention center

By Terry Wright

In a \$3 million construction and renovation project, Shawono Center will add an extensive, co-educational detention center to its existing structure. Construction is slated to begin next month in converting the current 30-bed rehabilitation center, to a 40-bed center aimed at both rehabilitation and detention. Both programs at the center will provide for up to 20 youths each, ranging in ages from 12 to 19.

The new detention center, which will include females, will be of high security. Detained youth are those who are suspected of committing a felony crime, but have not yet been adjudicated in court, or have been adjudicated and are waiting for further placement. Placement can mean anything from going back to their family to being placed in a maximum security adult prison.

Youth in detention attend an in-house school and have access to both indoor and outdoor recreation. Each is assigned a counselor and all participate in group problem solving meetings. Shawono Center Director Fred Woelmer said that, "The object of detention is to deal with daily problems while providing a good quality of life. The goal is to keep them here as short a time as possible."

Woelmer explained that if a youth is charged with a heinous felony crime, they can be tried as an adult. Until their trial, however, they must be treated as a juvenile, so they may be sent to Shawono Center and kept in detention. After their trial, if they are convicted, they can be incarcerated as an adult in the Michigan prison system,

or they can be sent back to the Shawono treatment center for rehabilitation. If they come to Shawono as a convicted adult, they can be kept in the treatment program until they are 21 years old.

The goal of the treatment program is rehabilitation. The average stay in the Shawono treatment program is 15 months. According to Woelmer, "We try to help them develop a sense of self worth."

Youth in the treatment program have been adjudicated for a felony crime in the state probate court system. Their confinement is not as restricted. Treatment sessions try to restore the faith and trust, in themselves and others, that most have lost. "When they come to us, these kids don't trust anybody. About 80% of them have been physically or sexually abused. We take the kids that nobody else wants to deal with," Woelmer said. Treatment program youth also must attend school on the Shawono campus.

Shawono Center currently has a staff of 35 full-time employees. The detention program and new facilities will necessitate the addition of several more. "We will probably have to hire four to five new employees for the direct care and teaching staffs," said Woelmer.

The new addition will connect several of the current buildings into one huge complex, adding 22,350 square feet, which will more than double the total area to over 44,000 square feet of building space. Current dormitory style sleeping arrangements will be converted to individual rooms in both the detention and treatment centers.

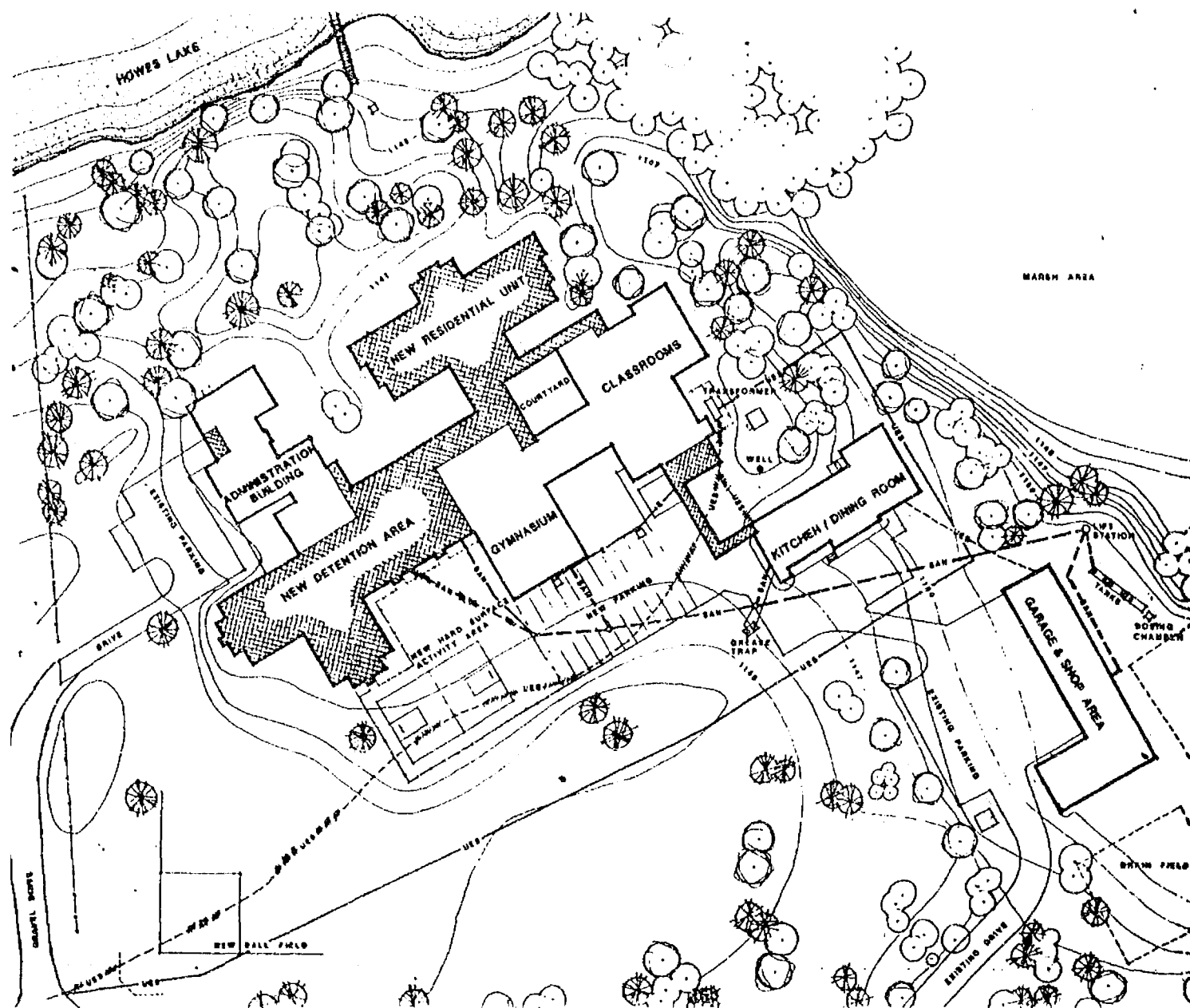
The addition of females to the detention program should cause no extra problems. Woelmer stated, "Our kids always have staff with them, there will be no problem bringing in girls." He explained that the treatment program facility will also be able to accommodate both sexes but knows of no immediate plans to bring in females.

Other new areas incorporated in the plan include medical and dental rooms, a court hearing room, and some additional office space.

Currently Shawono Center, as just a treatment facility, has enjoyed substantial success. In a study of youth who went through the program between 1988 and 1991, an average of only 13% have gone on to further probation or incarceration in the adult prison system, and despite the minimum security at Shawono, Woelmer stated that, "No one has gotten away from the program in the last five years."

This construction project has been in the planning stages for several years and Woelmer will be glad to see it finally completed. "The project has been in the works for years but the process takes so long. I was told when I first came here in May of 1986, that it would be completed by that October," Woelmer said.

Shawono Center is one of several regional juvenile treatment and detention centers statewide under the direction of the Michigan Department of Social Services, Family and Children's Services Division. Only youth from Clare to Mackinaw come to Shawono.



SHAWONO CENTER ADDITION—The shaded areas represent the new construction at Shawono Center. Slated for groundbreaking in April the addition will double the current floor space and accommodate ten more northern Michigan youths.

Commissioners snuffing out smoking in all county buildings

By Terry Wright

In a vote of five to one, Crawford County Commissioners upgraded a previously adopted policy of no smoking in the county courthouse. The previous policy banned smoking by the public but allowed building employees to smoke, if approved by the department head. The new policy was passed as an official county ordinance, and states, "Smoking is prohibited in any location of county owned buildings at any time. This ordinance applies to all employees, clients, contractors and the general public."

A public hearing was held during the regular commissioner's meeting to discuss the adoption of the new ordinance. There was no public input, but Chairman Dennis Long stated, "Smoking is a habit that is pleasurable for the smoker, but it is not a necessity of life. Breathing fresh air is a necessity. Secondhand smoke is being widely recognized as a carcinogen,

and employers could face worker's compensation situations or even further litigation."

Commissioner Bob Smock agreed. "We're on the right path with what we're doing."

The dissenting vote came from Commissioner William Coy who said, "I understand the situation but, as a smoker, I think there are other alternatives to banning all smoking in county buildings."

The new ordinance calls for the establishment of a Clean Air Ordinance Review Committee that will review the policy quarterly and make recommendations on needed changes to the full commission.

Enforcement of the ordinance, after a written complaint, will fall to the county health officer. After a thorough investigation, if a violation of the ordinance is found to exist, a written warning will be issued by the investigating officer. A second

violation will be subject to a \$50 fine and, for the third violation, a \$200 fine will be imposed.

The new ordinance has caused some confusion among some county employees. County Clerk Beth Wieland stated that, "Until our attorney looks at it, we don't even know when it takes effect."

More confusion is apparent about which actual buildings come under the authority of the ordinance. Hanson Hills, for example, comes under the authority of the Grayling Recreation Authority, which was formed as a separate unit of government by the County of Crawford, Grayling Township, and the Crawford AuSable School District. The main ski lodge is owned by the state, but others are owned by the G.R.A. Does the ordinance apply there?

What about the buildings on the fairgrounds? They are owned by the fair association, but the land is owned by the county. The old depot? The main building and land are leased to the historical society. The animal shelter? The building belongs to the county, but the land belongs to the road commission.

What about the road commission itself, is it owned by the county? Richard Young, engineer/manager of the road commission wasn't sure if the ordinance affected his building or not. He said, "I don't have any idea yet. We have our legal counsel checking on it."

The list goes on including the fish hatchery, the Northlight ambulance building, the transportation authority, the libraries in both Grayling and Frederic, and the Mental Health Department building.

County Attorney David Sabin has a lot of work ahead of him. Most of the

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County increases security in district, circuit courtroom areas

By Terry Wright

In the past year, several northern Michigan counties have experienced serious acts of violence in their courtrooms. In Roscommon County, only weeks ago, a stabbing took place during a common divorce hearing.

To counter the possibility of a violent act occurring in Crawford County courts, the county Board of Commissioners voted to take immediate action to increase security. Limited access areas for prisoners and officials entering either District or Circuit courtrooms are to be provided. Specifically, this means that the hallway directly behind the courtrooms, will be blocked from public use by the installation of security doors on either end. That also provides

security for Judge Davis's office, the jury deliberation room, and the court conference room, as entrance into those rooms is within the area of the hall that is to be secured. Fire escape routes for those offices will be through the courtroom and out the main door through the public lobby. The new security does not change the public access to any offices.

Also, the commissioners decided to shuffle some offices that required more space, and to provide a secure room for those victims and witnesses waiting to go to court who may not want to wait, face to face with their legal adversaries, in the public lobby. That room will occupy the current Friend of

the Court office. The Friend of the Court will move into the Veterans and Disabled American Veterans office, who will move to the room currently being used as a maintenance receiving area. This will provide much more space, as was requested by the Veterans office. The receiving area will move into a remodeled bay of the current garage, located behind central dispatch.

The commissioners voted unanimously to make the changes and allocated \$1,100 for needed materials. All work will be completed by Maintenance Supervisor Charlie Easterley with the assistance of a jail inmate work crew.

Meeting set for amendment to solid waste plan

The Northeast Michigan Council of Governments (NEMCOG) has announced a meeting of its Solid Waste Management Committee for the purpose of reviewing an amendment to the Crawford County solid waste management plan, which has been proposed by City Environmental Services, Inc. The meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 30, at the Montmorency County courthouse at 7:00 p.m.

The amendment reads: *Outside counties which may dispose of waste at the City Environmental Services, Inc. of Waters Landfill, for the 5 and 20 year planning period include Alcona, Alger, Alpena, Antrim, Arenac, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Chippewa, Emmet, Gladwin, Grand Traverse, Iosco, Kalkaska, Lapeer, Mackinaw, Manistee, Missaukee, Montmorency, Ogemaw, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle, Roscommon, Schoolcraft, Wexford.*

The amendment adds nine counties to the list of counties which may

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Stolen property recovered; merchants start reward fund

Stemming from an investigation of a breaking and entering complaint, patrolman K. Devries of the Grayling Police Department discovered information involving the suspect in four additional breaking and enterings in the Grayling area. Approximately \$3,000 worth of stolen property has been recovered after obtaining a search warrant for the suspect's residence. Crawford County Sheriff Department personnel have provided assistance in the investigations.

The Grayling resident suspect has been arraigned in District Court on

the charges and is presently held pending trial.

Area merchants have approached Chief Stephan and Sheriff Lovely with the proposal to form a cooperative merchants reward fund. This fund would provide monetary reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of suspects involved in area criminal activities. The fund would be generated by the collective donations of city, township, and county businesses. Those interested are requested to contact Gail Madsen at Skip's Sport Shop, Sheriff Lovely or Chief Stephan.



A BIRD IN THE HAND—Robert Wiley, son of Chris and June Wiley of Grayling, feeds this chickadee out of his bare hand. Robert and brother Jessie have trained a whole flock of chickadees. They usually have birds lined up on their heads waiting for their turn at the sunflowers.

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DONATION TO FREDERIC COMMUNITY LIBRARY-
Rod Hinkle (L) and Robin Cox (R), present a check for \$1,000 to Frederic Librarian, Kelly Wargo on behalf of the C.C. Cruisers and the Frederic Auto Show. The money was donated to purchase new books.



DONATION TO YOUTH BOOSTER CLUB-- Rod Hinkle (L) presents a check for \$1,000 to Grayling Youth Booster Club President John Hunter. The money was donated by the C.C. Cruisers and the Frederic Auto Show.

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Science Fair has 325-plus entries

The Crawford AuSable School District Science and Arts Fair — Today, Tomorrow, and Beyond — is in full swing as over 325 entrants are busy at work, preparing projects for display on Saturday, March 20, at the Grayling Middle School gym and cafeteria.

Many classes in the lower grades will be working on group projects. In early January, official Science Fair booklets were distributed throughout the district. These pamphlets outlined rules and regulations for this year's fair, as well as illustrating the ballot judges will use to determine this year's winning projects.

On Friday afternoon between the hours of 1 and 6 p.m., students will transport and set up projects for display. From 6 to 10:30 p.m. judges will proceed to rate the entries in three categories: demonstration, informative, and investigation. On Saturday, March 20, from 9 a.m. to 3

p.m., area residents will be able to view the projects.

Blue ribbons will be awarded for first place in each division. Again this year, there will also be prizes awarded in the upper grade level divisions.

Horse club plans shows

The 4-H Crawford County Hoofbeats have planned four horse club show dates for this summer. Three 4-H open speed shows will be held June 10, July 22, and August 19. The 4-H open pleasure show will be July 25. All shows are held at the Crawford County Fairgrounds and begin at 6 p.m.

Magistrate

Appearing before Magistrate Jean Calfevaert:

David A. Christmas of Spring Lake, was fined \$65 for Fail To Display A Valid Fur Harvester License.

Frank Munaco, Jr. of Roseville, was fined \$100 for Attempt To Obtain Bonus Deer License By False Info.

Joseph S. Burroughs of Flint, was fined \$100 for Attempt To Obtain Bonus Deer License By False Info.

District Court

David LeBlanc, 22, of Roseville, plead guilty to a charge of Attempt NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined \$105 or ten days, restitution paid. He was cited May 11, 1992, by the City Police Dept.

Janet Davenport-Stripling, 50, of Waters, plead guilty to a charge of Attempt NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined \$105 or ten days, placed on six months probation, \$64.87 restitution. She was cited April 9, 1992, by the City Police Dept.

Tammy Lyne Hale, 20, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Retail Fraud 2nd Degree, and was fined \$155 or 14 days. She was cited January 13, 1993, by the City Police Dept.

Cindy A. Froum, 35, of Frederic, plead guilty to a charge of Fail To Return Rented Property Under \$100, and was placed on six months probation, restitution paid. She was cited July 23, 1991.

James Lee Thompson, 37, of St. Charles, plead guilty to a charge of Grayling City Ordinance #4 — Disorderly Person, and was fined \$155 or 14 days. He was cited February 14, 1993, by the City Police Dept.

Craig James Kellogg, 29, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Create Contention, and was ordered to serve 14 days in jail, with credit for

time served. He was cited by the City Police Dept.

Diane Louise Fraley, 20, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$525 or 60 days, plus her license was suspended 90 days. She was cited December 14, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Diane Louise Fraley, 20, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Driving Suspended, and was fined \$205 or 30 days. She was cited February 7, 1993, by the Sheriff Dept.

Ann Ruth Moosdorf, 33, of Roscommon, was found guilty to a charge of Driving Suspended, and was fined \$305 or 30 days. She was cited December 14, 1992, by the State Police Dept.

James Michael Forbes, 32, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was sentenced to 60 days in the county jail, with credit for time served, plus his license was suspended six months. He was cited January 20, 1993, by the Sheriff Dept.

Douglas Allen Blaine, Jr., 17, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was sentenced to 60 days in the county jail, with credit for time served, plus his license was suspended six months. He was cited October 14,

1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Barbara Ann O'Toole, 40, of Frederic, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was fined \$625 or 60 days, plus her license was suspended six months. She was cited December 16, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Mark Alan Bueby, 36, of Waloon Lake, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was fined \$625 or 60 days, placed on six months probation, plus his license was suspended six months. He was cited November 24, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

James DeIrelan, 34, of Rapid River, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL 2nd, and was fined \$725 or 60 days, ordered to serve 30 days in the county jail, plus his license was revoked. He was cited December 4, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Thaddeus Khoury Kassab, 28, of Traverse City, demanded a preliminary exam to a charge of Felonious Assault. A \$200 cash or surety bond was set.

Francis Reed Moore, 33 of Grayling, demanded a preliminary exam to a charge of Child Abuse 3rd Degree, and B & E Unoccupied. A \$20,000 cash or surety bond was set.

Jeffrey Scott Partlow, 18, of Grayling, was bound over to Circuit Court on a charge of Possession of Short Barrel Shotgun. A \$5,000 cash or surety bond was set.

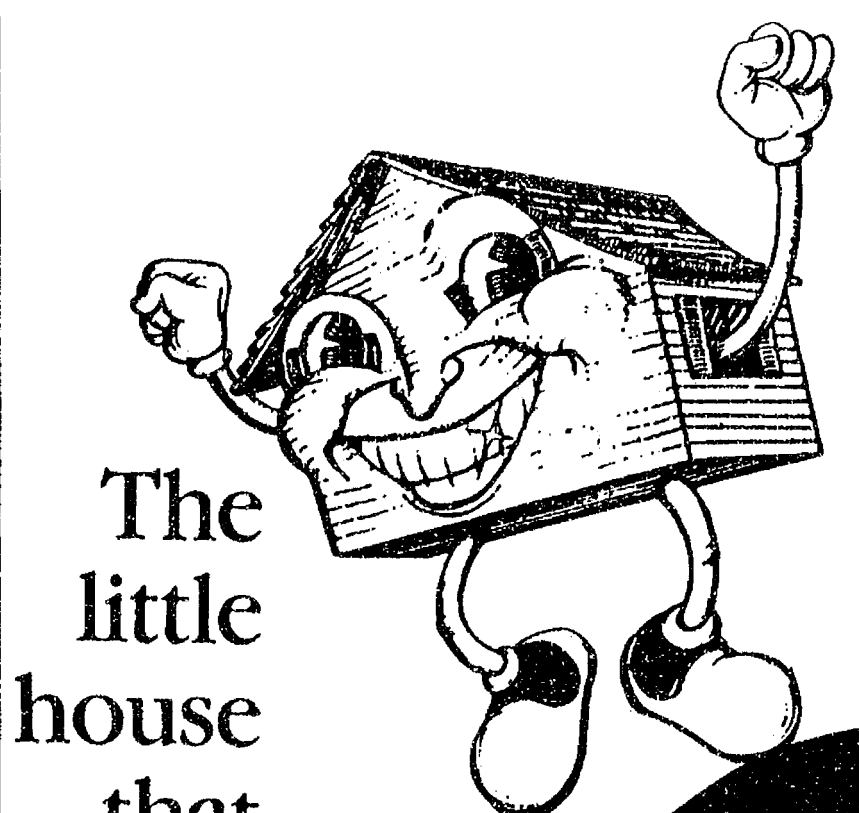
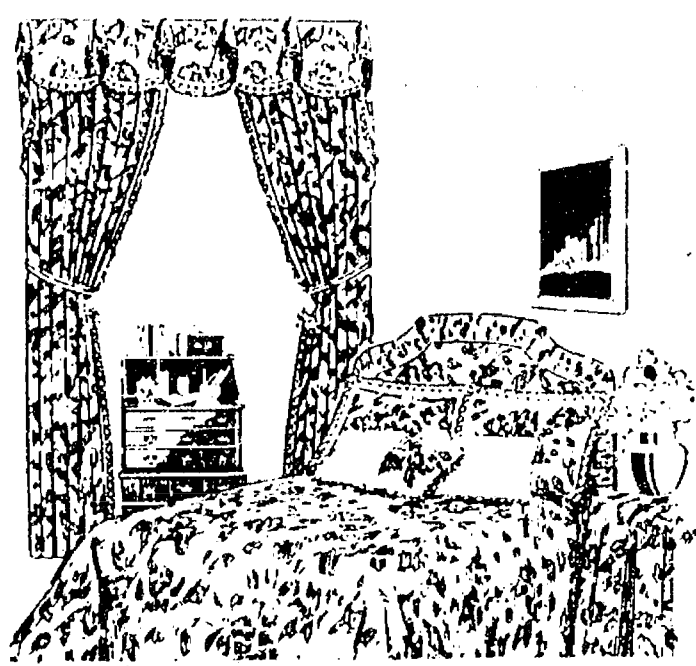
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This column is presented as a public service to the community by District Health Department No. 1 which serves, Wexford, Missaukee, Kalkaska, and Crawford counties. If you have a question you would like answered, please send it to District Health Department No. 1, 401 Lake St., Cadillac, Michigan, 49601.

Question: My husband frequently burns scraps of wood in our wood burning stove that were left over from building our deck. Is it safe to burn treated or preserved wood in the home?

Answer: The Health Department cautions against the burning of any wood scraps preserved with inorganic arsenic compounds. The most popular brand names of these woods include Osmose and

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If you own a wood burning appliance, the health department advises that you dispose of any pressure treated wood scraps in a sanitary landfill before they can be accidentally burned. This way any potential health risks may be avoided.

If planning a building project this spring using pressure treated wood, such as a deck, fence, outdoor furniture or playground equipment, handle the wood properly to avoid health problems:

- Do not use the wood where it can come in contact with food.
- Wear a face mask when sawing this wood.
- Avoid skin contact by wearing tightly woven coveralls and gloves.
- Wash work garments separately from the family laundry.
- Wash exposed skin surfaces after handling the wood.

These recommendations are those of the Consumer's Federation of America and District Health Department No. 1 Environmental Health Division.

Nine local free throw champs named

Nine boys and girls from Grayling, Roscommon, and Higgins Lake, age ten to 14, were named local champions of the 1993 Knights of Columbus International Free Throw Championship and earned the right to compete at the district level. Grayling Council #1982 sponsored the local competition at the middle school gym. A total of 46 boys and girls participated.

Katelyn Roshy was the ten-year-old girls' champion and Derek Denewett was the winner of the ten-year-old boys' division. In the 11-year-old bracket of the competition, Mandy Trudgeon was the girls' champion and Jeremy Millikin was the boys' champion. Twelve-year-old winners in the girls' and boys' division were Abby Glover and Mike Harland. Abby made 15 of 15 free throws. The 13-year-old boys' division was won by Adam Abernathy by making 14 of 15 attempts. No 13-year-old girls competed. Fourteen-year-old

champions included Brooke Blaauw in the girls' bracket and Tim Anderson in the boys'. Each contestant was allowed 15 free throw attempts and ties were settled by successive rounds of five free throws per contestant until a winner emerged. At the next three levels of competition 25 free throws are shot.

The nine local winners then

advanced to district competition at Mio. Mandy Trudgeon, Abby Glover, Adam Abernathy and Tim Anderson were champions in their respective age divisions earning the right to advance to the regional contest held at Gaylord St. Mary's High School gym. These four competitors turned in fine performances, but none were able to advance to the state finals.



FREE THROW WINNERS--(left to right) Derek Denewett, Jeremy Millikin, Mike Harland, Tim Anderson, Adam Abernathy, Abby Glover, and Katelyn Roshy. Winners not present for photo: Mandy Trudgeon and Brooke Blaauw.

Obituaries

William Bellanger

William Raymond Bellanger, 76, of Grayling, died Thursday, March 11, 1993, at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. A wake service was held Friday, March 12, at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel. An Eagle's memorial service was held Saturday, March 13, at the funeral home, followed by a mass of Christian burial at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Grayling, with Reverend Michael Conner officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mr. Bellanger was born July 23, 1916, in Becker County, Minnesota. He moved to Grayling 21 years ago from Belleville. He was a retired engineer for Ford Motor Company, Dearborn. He attended the University of Michigan, University of Hawaii, and Rhode Island University, and received his bachelor's degree from the Ford Institute. He also served in the Navy Seabees during WWII.

Mr. Bellanger was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, and served as an usher there. He was also a member of American Legion Post 106, member and past-president of Eagles Aerie 3465, and Knights of Columbus Father Reiss Council 1982.

Mr. Bellanger was preceded in death by his stepson, Dean Hoffman, and by his parents, George and Mary (Parker) Bellanger.

Survivors include: wife, Deloris I. (Hoffman) Bellanger; daughters, Cynthia Bellanger-Pfaff of Grayling and Patricia Bellanger of Minneapolis, Minnesota; son, Grover Bellanger of Ypsilanti; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Cards of thanks

I would like to thank Father Roy and the rest of my friends who have stayed by me during the recent death of my Dad, Frank Shearer. Your prayers and flowers have helped soften the unexpected passing of a great man.

Dad and Mom often enjoyed the hospitality of the Grayling area, and were happiest when they were able to canoe the AuSable. In 1979, '80 and '81, they could be seen at some Grayling Junior Pro basketball or Little League baseball games. They even managed to attend a Grayling varsity football game before Mom lost her battle to cancer.

I will cherish always the memories of when we were able to experience the Grayling north as a family.

God bless you all,
Mike and Dennis Shearer

Edward Wysocki

Edward A. Wysocki, 74, of Grayling, died Sunday, March 14, 1993, at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, March 17, 1993, at 11:30 a.m., at St. Mary's Catholic Church, with Reverend Michael Conner officiating. Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery, Grayling. Arrangements were made by Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

Mr. Wysocki was born February 9, 1919, in Detroit, to Joseph and Felicia (Swoboda) Wysocki, both deceased. On November 9, 1940, in Detroit, he was married to Elizabeth Elwart, and she survives. He was a supervisor at Forming Technology, a division of Masco Corporation. He had been coming to Grayling for 16 years, and moved here full-time nine years ago from Harper Woods. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Grayling.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by daughter, Cynthia Wysocki of Grayling; son, Kenneth and wife, Kathy Wysocki of Mt. Clemens; sister, Ann Ulatowski of Grayling; stepbrother, Leo Pesznicki of Mt. Clemens; three grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

Cards of thanks

Tom Whaley is recuperating nicely from mid February amputation of his right leg below the knee and a pancreas transplant. He has required no insulin since the transplant; returned to work part-time; and will have a temporary leg prostheses this week. Tom is sincerely grateful for all the prayers, cards and visits.

Cards of thanks

We wish to thank those who contributed to the organ fund for the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church in memory of Leonard Allison, and to everyone for all of their kindness in this difficult time.

The Allison family

Vincent Sandre, Sr.

Vincent L. Sandre, Sr., 46, of Grayling, died Wednesday, March 10, 1993, at Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Funeral services were held Monday, March 15, 1993, at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, with Reverend Derik Roy officiating.

Mr. Sandre was born August 5, 1946, in Brooklyn, New York. He married the former Nancy Harness on August 13, 1988, in Las Vegas, Nevada, and they moved to Grayling two years ago from Antelope Valley, California. He was employed as the front-end manager of the Rite Aid Pharmacy, Grayling.

Mr. Sandre was preceded in death by his parents, Salvador and Vita (Virgilio) Sandre.

Survivors include: wife, Nancy (Harness) Sandre; sons, Vincent Sandre, Jr. of Fort Benning, Georgia, and Michael Sandre, at home; and brother, Peter Sandre of Melville, New York.

Blood pressure clinic offered

A free blood pressure clinic will be held Monday, March 22, from 3 to 6:30 p.m. in the front lobby at Mercy Hospital/Grayling.

This free monthly clinic is conducted by nurses from the Crawford County Chapter of the American Red Cross, with assistance from the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary. Individuals of all ages are encouraged to attend and learn more about factors affecting blood pressure.

First Responders offered course

Northlight EMS is offering a course for area licensed Medical First Responders to upgrade their license to the basic EMT level.

The class will start on Monday, March 22. For more information call 517/348-6558. Medical First Responders whose licenses were "grandfathered in" are not eligible for the courses.

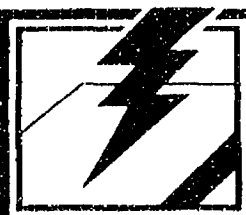
Bits of Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Jensen are the proud parents of Dylan Timothy, born Wednesday, March 3, in Petoskey. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kinsora and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Jensen.



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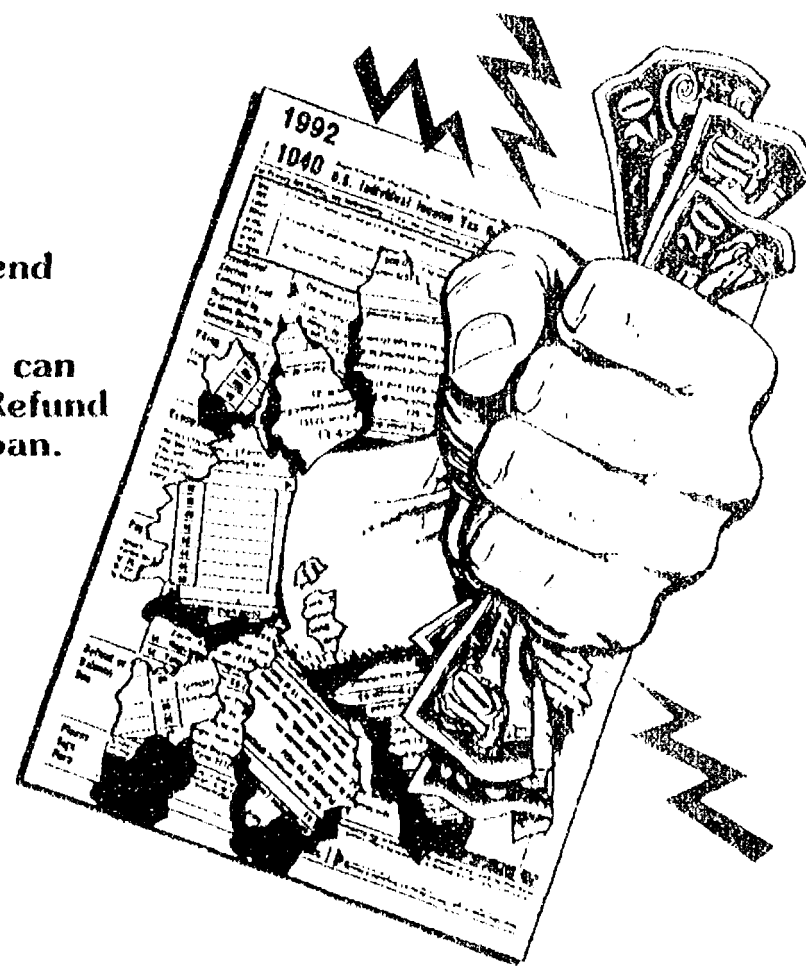
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Letters To The Editor

Grayling can become number one destination spot in state

Several years ago on the occasion of a Grayling Uptown District Association's Annual Dinner similar to this year's, I gave a talk which began with the words, "I have a dream." That night we together looked at the exciting possibilities of brick walkways, vintage street lights and colorful Victorian storefronts. Together we dreamed of a town that would be an exciting place to live and work and do business. We dreamed that Grayling might become the number one destination spot in Michigan.

Nearly ten years later, very little of that dream has become reality. Old money, distrust and fear, traditional thinking, politics, and a city that has no plan each took a piece of the vision and trampled it with questions about whether it is realistic.

Yet, we must not ask whether a vision is realistic or practical or viable, but whether it is *imaginable*. We need to ask if our imagination has been so assaulted and co-opted by status-quo thinking that we have been robbed of the courage and the power to think an alternative thought.

The dreamer does not ask if the vision can be implemented, for questions of *implementation* are of no consequence until the vision can be *imagined*. The imagination must come before the implementation. Our culture is competent to implement almost anything and to imagine almost nothing. Thus, the dominate reality of status-quo thinking is frightened of the dreamer.

Yet it is the vocation of the dreamer to keep alive the ministry of imagination, to keep on proposing

alternative futures to the single one the dominate reality claims is the only thinkable one. Indeed, imagination is the last way left in which to challenge the dominate reality.

Dominate reality and status-quo thinking leads people to numbness, especially numbness about death. Ultimately, status-quo thinking is incapable of facing its own death. All these denials about endings are necessary in the dominate reality because it is too costly to those presently in power to face and embrace them.

It would suggest that they are not really in charge, that things will not forever stay the manageable way they are, and that things will not finally all work out. It is the business of "Status-quo" to attach the word "forever" to everything we treasure.

The dreamer does not scold or reprimand. In offering a new Vision, the dreamer brings to public expression

the dread of endings and a new way of seeing the barriers and pecking orders that secure us at each other's expense. It is the task of the dreamer to invite the status-quo to experience what it must experience, and what it most needs to experience and most fears to experience, namely, that the end of an old way of thinking is very near.

The shortest verse in the Bible is one that reads, "Jesus wept." Jesus knew what we must always learn again: (1, that weeping must be real because endings are real, (2) and that it is the weeping that permits newness. Such weeping is a dismantling because it means the end of the status-quo. Weeping is something kings rarely do without losing their thrones. Yet the loss of thrones and the loss of status-quo is precisely what is called for in the ministry of imagination.

I believe that the proper idiom for the dreamer in cutting through the numbness of the status-quo and denial is the language of grief. The ministry

of imagination is not some special thing done in a day, or a week. It is not limited to the artist or the prophet, it is the task of anyone who is willing to experience the passion of a dream.

The ministry of imagination seeks to penetrate despair so that new futures can be believed in and embraced. There is a yearning for energy in a world grown weary of fighting. And we do know that the only act that energizes is a word, a gesture, an act that believes in our future and affirms it to us.

And this is the Vision. I repeat it, that you may never forget that you heard it, that Grayling, Michigan, has within its grasp the ability to become the number one destination spot in the state. That dream is presently being shared and envisioned and empowered through an unprecedented sense of cooperation. Within the past month there have been two meetings jointly

shared by our Uptown District Association, the Grayling Promotional Association, and the Grayling Area Visitors Council under the direction and leadership of the Chamber of Commerce. The next meeting will include representatives from the city, townships, and county governments.

The purpose of these meetings is to share the Vision and give it life and bring hope of a new future for Grayling. It is our task to grieve the loss of the status-quo and become dreamers. To have the courage and power to imagine the possibilities; to demand that questions of implementation not be used to squeeze the life out of a vision; to become willing to compromise our personal interest for the sake of the whole; and to enter into the ministry of imagination as a full-time occupation.

Terry Dickinson
Grayling

Pastor opposes federal Freedom of Choice Act

A copy of the following letter was mailed on March 11, 1993, to President William Clinton, the Honorable Dave Camp, Carl Levin, and Don Riegle:

I am writing to request that you oppose the Freedom of Choice Act (F.O.C.A.) again being pushed in Washington. Abortion is morally wrong because it willfully destroys innocent human life.

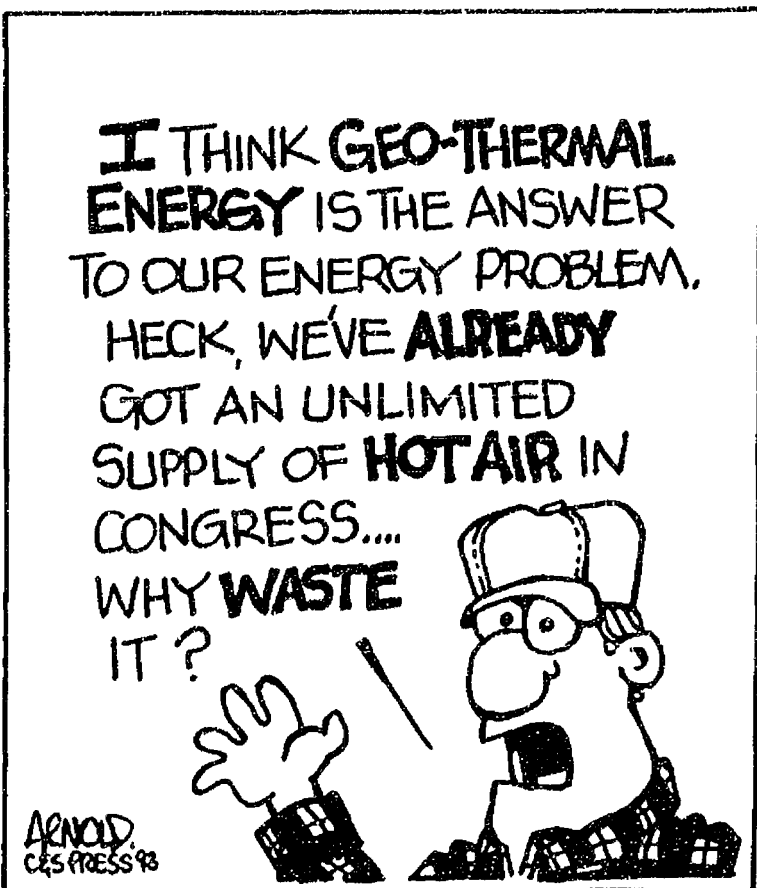
It is my understanding that this legislation will strip states of any right to regulate abortions in any way. It would guarantee abortion-on-demand throughout all nine months of pregnancy for any reason. It would allow sex-selection abortions. It would prevent all parental involvement and spousal notification laws. It would allow tax funded abortions. It would prevent mandatory waiting periods and alternative information. It would force church-affiliated hospitals to perform abortions, or face being sued. It would open the door to baby harvesting and

fetal experimentation.

Our forefathers fought the Revolutionary War because of their faith in the inalienable right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. The right-to-life is inalienable because it is God-given, not government given. We fought a Civil War because of faith in the inalienable right to liberty for black slaves. We have heard the German citizens criticized for allowing Nazi leaders to exterminate a class of people, the Jews. How can we criticize the Germans when we allow "Feminazis" to exterminate millions of unborn human babies? We are already in a cultural war based upon conflicting moral values. I plead with you to help prevent escalation of violence and bloodshed by stopping the Freedom of Choice (F.O.C.A.).

A response stating your position and intentions on this legislation would be appreciated. Thank you.

Dr. Robert J. Barnett, pastor



(This first appeared in the Avalanche on March 20, 1941. Wesley Smith of Frederic has an original clipping of it. The poem is about Harold "Spike" MacNeven, former owner of Spike's Keg O'Nails.)

Spike's St. Patrick's Day Party

The wind outside it howled and roared and did it ever blow!
Spike paced the floor — first up then down and was he feeling low?
"My party's ruined," he told the gang. "Just what am I to do?
With this date all set and now this storm, no wonder I feel blue.
My green beer's here, my favors came, my plans have all been made.
I've even got the dance floor waxed, ready for Courtade.
But Heaven help Floyd's weary soul, I should show him some pity,
For he's stuck someplace in a big snowbank
'tween here and Traverse City.
Then between the howls of the wind they heard a noise
at the outside door,
Five men rolled in and fell full length exhausted on the floor.
"We're lost and frozen" they all cried. "We don't know where to go;
We had started north to several points, all set to give a show.
But we can't go on, the roads are blocked, so here we'll have to stay,
Besides we've traveled many miles, and we'll just call it a day."
"Did I hear you say a show," Spike said, "and what kind might it be?"
"We're a cowboy band," one answered up, "for the Harvester Company."
Spike gasped and sputtered, then he sank into the nearest chair;
"That's music to my ears my friends, and an answer to my prayer.
Bring in your horns and drums and stuff and get prepared to play.
I'll have my party just the same, and in a great big way."
And it really was a party in spike of drifts that blocked the door.
For they entered through the windows to gain entrance to the floor.
The wind outside it howled and roared and did it ever blow!
But Spike was feeling merry and a long, long way from low,
For things had gone so smooth and clicked and everyone was gay,
And it was the sweetest ending for old St. Patrick's Day.

Letters To The Editor

Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten but please double space or use every other line.

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lished without the author's name.

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Northern Views

By Jon Thompson

If there was a new vitamin pill invented that would make your legs, lungs, and heart stronger without side effects, would you take it?

If there was a new diet plan released that allowed you to lose weight without starving yourself, stapling your stomach, or drinking horrible concoctions, would you try it?

If there was a new 30-minute television show that guaranteed to make you happier when you watched it, would you tune it in at least once a week?

If there was a new book that would help you work out your personal problems, would you spend some of your valuable time reading it?

Suppose President Clinton came out with a great idea to make practically everyone in the nation healthier, both physically and mentally. Suppose Jane Fonda and Michael Jordan made a video supporting Clinton's plan, and Kevin Costner and Arnold Schwarzenegger made a movie backing it. Suppose Barbra Streisand sang a song to publicize this wonderful idea, and even good ole Ross Perot gave it a thumbs up.

Do you think Americans would be sold on this plan? Do you think they would go for it? Probably. Hyping a product can sell a lot of people, even if the product is bad.

Our nation seems to be hung up on publicity and images. But what about the old-fashioned things that aren't packaged in a slick commer-

cial? Some ideas will probably never receive much publicity, so they tend to be ignored by many people.

Take a nice walk in the sunshine, for example.

There's no secret to it. A walk in the sunshine will do wonders for your body and attitude. People have known this for ages. Even most people today will agree with this, based on their own personal experience. Most of us feel better after we take a brisk walk or a leisurely, longer stroll. So why don't more of us try walking a little more?

Well, we don't have enough time, right? Some of us folks will read the *Detroit Free Press* or watch the *CBS* evening news almost every day. If there is a news story about a miracle breakthrough called "walking" that can strengthen your heart, we take a few

minutes to read or hear about it.

How often do we watch rented videos, soap operas, or sports games during the daylight hours? If Cindy Crawford came on the screen to tell you a new secret about how walking can make you lose weight, we would take a few minutes to listen to her.

We find time for all these things, plus coffee breaks, haircuts, and taking the automobile in for an oil change. But when was the last time we went for a walk?

Let's Talk About It

By Joe Murphy



For the past 113 years come August, there have been Stephans here in Crawford County. In August, 1880, the ten members of the family arrived from Le Harve, France. Their first home here was a woodshed which they rented from a widow, Mrs. Horton, who lived east of Grayling, close to where they intended to settle. Soon they were busy clearing land, and with lumber bought from the Salling Hanson Company here in Grayling, a home was soon built. The children, when they started school, knew very little of the English language, but they soon overcame that handicap and all became good and productive citizens of this area.

The tapes that Bud Stephan loaned me were very interesting for his stories of many events of his life almost parallel my own. His telling of cutting ice on Kyle Lake reminded me of the days they cut ice on May Lake at Frederic. That was the big event of our winter for they would let us kids ride on the sleighs on their trips back and forth to the lake. I did not enjoy as good fishing as they had down river, but I had to try what we had available.

All of us who lived through those hard days of the thirties have a common bond of knowing how to make do. As children we learned to make our own entertainment for our parents did not have the money to buy the toys children take for granted today. The family garden was the main source of a family's winter food supply and all family members were expected to help in its care. The berries, which were so abundant then, had to be picked and canned to add to the family larder. Very few

people lived high on the hog in those days for even those who had a job, in most cases, received starvation wages. Even folks who had a car sitting in the garage could not afford the gas and license plates to keep it on the road. I can recall several cars that sat in garages in Frederic all through the depression that were sold for scrap during the war.

The Stephan family and the AuSable River was a fine example of being in the right place at the right time. It was not long before they were guiding visiting fishermen and hunters and providing room and board as the large family home became Edgewater resort. Rental cabins were soon added and the idea of farming faded as the possibilities offered by their river location was realized. Bud Stephan's memories of those early days on the famous AuSable and the people he knew back in those days would make a very interesting book. Thank you Bud, for sharing your memories of your younger days with me. I intend to share more of your memories with my readers in future columns.

I have some forms at Goodale's Bakery and the Avalanche for placing orders for my new book, *A Country Boy's Faith*. If I can get fifty advance orders I will get it published. That will cover my cost of publishing and proceeds on the sale of the remaining two hundred will go to the Christian Help Center.

Jail plans concern South Bend couple

We have been traveling to Grayling for nearly 30 years and even consider eventually spending our retirement there. We really enjoyed the good health care and peace of mind knowing that the neighborhood is reasonably safe and secure.

The expansion of the jail is making us have second thoughts about that security and peace of mind. Also, we have been told that when a prisoner

causes trouble or escapes, it is up to the county where the escape took place to pay for all court costs even if the prisoner is from some other area. We wonder if this jail rental idea would reduce property taxes or just create more (or less) dollars for the local government to spend?

There must be other ways to create revenues other than more prisoners.
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mannell
South Bend, Indiana

Bowling officers question comment on alley conditions

Reference to the March 4th issue comment made by Jody Harland, Secretary of Monday Night Pioneer League.

Comment as follows: Poor alley conditions has prevented any high game or high series.

We, as officers of the Men's City Association, feel she owes the Legion Lanes an apology, because she was not present for the lane certification

procedure of the alleys, which they passed or the alleys would not be sanctioned. Also, all the other leagues had high scores. So representing all the men's leagues, we feel she was out of order, and unqualified to know what the conditions of the alleys are.

Men's Grayling Bowling Association
President Ron Case
Secretary Dale Lozon

Opinions

Letters To The Editor

Hunt organizers deserves thanks in addition to an offer for assistance

Chalk me up as another medallion hunter with something to say to Mike Shearer: thank you! The same to the Winter Carnival and Chamber of Commerce who have sponsored the hunts that Mike has organized—thank you!

I've not joined the hunt in recent years, but faithfully pursued the big medallion for several years. It was challenging, at times a little frustrating, and great fun. The frustration that some of this year's hunters feel is understandable. Perhaps the course of events at the conclusion of this year's

hunt should have been handled a little differently, but I think that message was received by the medallion hunt organizers loud and clear with the first letter-to-the-editor criticizing the way things were handled. Why the need to pile on?

I'm sure that the hunt organizers [1] would admit they are human (may have made a mistake), [2] have an idea how things might have been better handled this year, and [3] have some potential changes in mind for the future (Mike, I hope you don't give it up).

Volunteers, community boosters

like Mike and the others responsible for the hunt don't deserve the trashing they've received in the last few weeks. The many folks who are active in the service organizations, events and projects that help to make our community a better place to live deserve our thanks, support and, when necessary, our constructive criticism and offer of assistance.

Mike, how can I help you with the medallion hunt next year?

A grateful medallion hunter,
Steve Southard

Medallion hunt should go on

In response to Amy Kolka's letter, I would like to ask her if she had been in my place, would she have refused the Grayling dollars? Give me a break, Amy, you wouldn't have refused the prize money either.

The night of the so-called "Medallion Hunt call-off," Mike Shearer asked if we all agreed that we'd share equally and we all did. He then stated that he'd have to take our decision back to the chamber and proceeded to get our names and telephone numbers. He then showed us all where he had dropped the Medallion, but it was no longer in place because of all the shoveling. At that point my son told Mike that he'd go and borrow his friend's metal detector, but his friend wasn't home. Mike also indicated that same night that he had to get the chamber's okay on what we had agreed on. He never said that we couldn't keep on looking. We took it for granted that the chamber would go along with our agreement and that the hunt was over. Mike went back the next day with a metal detector, but it wouldn't pick up the medallion.

I am a faithful and dedicated hunter. Before you criticize someone, out in the cold, standing around, I think you should get all the facts first. Plus, I wasn't just standing still. I couldn't stand still because of the flying snow and ice from the diggers' shovels. Also, I was brought up to have respect for my elders which you are lacking, Amy, in some of your remarks. There are reasons why I wasn't doing much physical stuff, but I don't think I have

to justify myself to you as I believe I am probably double your age and more.

Yes, I do know Mike always hung the medallion in previous years. That's why I was looking up, while everyone else (including my son who had a flashlight) was digging in the snow.

For your information, Amy, on the day (Thursday) the hunt was back on, my son and I were about sixty miles away from Grayling and didn't arrive back home until just before Mike's phone call. So there wasn't any way that we could've been looking for the Medallion earlier in the day. Get your facts straight. Huh!

When Mike Shearer, my son and myself arrived back at the Millpond after finding the Medallion, Mike and I were both jumped about the Medallion Hunt. We were innocent because we had no control over the decision made by Deb Allen.

I think it's time for Deb Allen to speak up and explain the reason for her decision that started this whole mess. The prize amount wasn't going to change and the split would've been simple as there were certificates worth twenty-five Grayling dollars. Plus it would have prevented all of these hard feelings and accusations. I say, let's go on from here and profit by the mistakes and take the steps necessary to make sure that this situation won't ever happen again where the hunt is concerned and look forward to the next one. Yes, there should be a next one as this is one of the attractions for the winter festival and hopefully for the summer Milltown

festival also.

As for our interview, Terry only asked us what we planned on doing with the Grayling dollars and how much time we had devoted to the hunt so there wasn't anything for Deb Allen or the chamber to be embarrassed about.

If everyone would put forth as much effort behind the Grayling activities that is put forth in the gripping department, then just maybe our town's activities would flourish like other towns and we would attract more visitors on these occasions. More visitors means more dollars for Grayling to improve and better itself. Talk doesn't do it — getting out and working will go a long way in attaining that goal. But the problem is that more people would rather talk than work. Here's hoping for a better and brighter future for Grayling and all its undertakings.

Greta G. Moore
Grayling

GPA announcing woman of the year

By Fay Bovee

The Grayling Promotional Association continues to celebrate its tenth birthday with a "bring a Friend to Lunch" at the Copper Kettle on Tuesday, March 23, and "After Hours," 5 to 7 p.m. at Spike's on the same day. The regular meeting on Tuesday, March 30, will have the announcement of the GPA Woman of the Year.

Palmer playing in Alma bands

Kendra Palmer of Grayling, is doing double duty with Alma College's instrumental music groups. Palmer is a member of both the band and the orchestra.

A freshman who plays clarinet, Palmer is the daughter of Dennis and Marilyn Palmer of Grayling.

The 70-member Kiltie Band's colorful plaid uniforms exemplify the college's Scottish affiliation. The Alma Symphony Orchestra combines students with talented community members to perform four season concerts.

Horse club registration begins March 13

Registration for the 4-H Crawford County Hoofbeats horse club will be Tuesday, March 23, from 6-7 p.m. at the MSU-Extension office in the basement of the county building. Parents are required to attend registration. The yearly registration fee is \$6, \$4 for each additional child within the same family.

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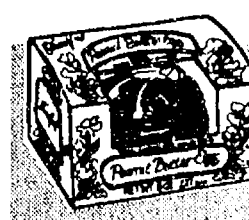
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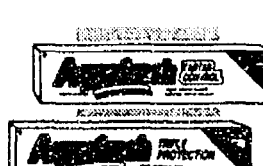
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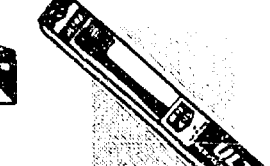
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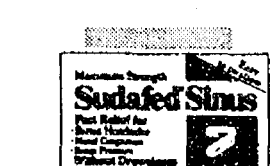
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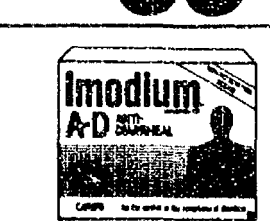
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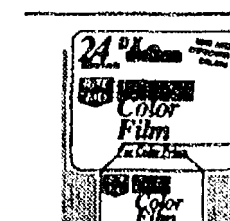
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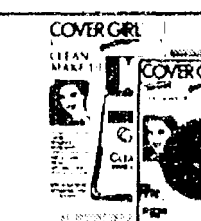
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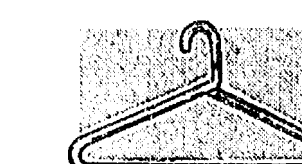
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North Flight EMS adds six paramedics, two nurses

North Flight EMS recently expanded operations in Grayling, and as of March 1, they have added six paramedic and two nurse positions to the existing staff of 13 full time people.

With the additional staff, North Flight created an educational coordinator position to help maintain its staff's continuing education requirements and to oversee a community training center. The community training center is affiliated

with the American Heart Association and will provide CPR education to local EMS providers and the general public.

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Doremire, Faulkner earn Weyerhaeuser promotions

Rodger Anger, general manager of the Weyerhaeuser Structurwood Mill, has announced the following organizational changes.

Bonnie Doremire has accepted the position of financial manager. This position has the overall responsibility for financial reporting, operations analysis, information systems, accounting, administrative support and business planning. Doremire joined the Grayling mill in March 1988.

A Grayling native, she graduated from Grayling High School and Northwood Institute with a business management and accounting degree. Prior to joining Weyerhaeuser, she held several banking and accounting positions. She most recently has served as financial analyst for the Grayling mill.

Ian Faulkner has been promoted to

operations team leader with responsibility for team leadership and the on-shift manufacturing process. Faulkner received a science and natural resources degree from Kirtland Community College. He joined the Structurwood organization in 1985 as an operations team member in panel manufacture and shipping, and most recently completed a team leader training program.

Faulkner succeeds David Horn, who has accepted a position with the Packaging Division of Weyerhaeuser Page Company in Mount Vernon, Ohio. Horn joined the company in 1985, serving as a process technician and product engineer in the technical department as well as operations team leader. In his new position, Horn will function as a quality assurance manager.



Bonnie Doremire



Ian Faulkner

LEGISLATIVE VIEWS

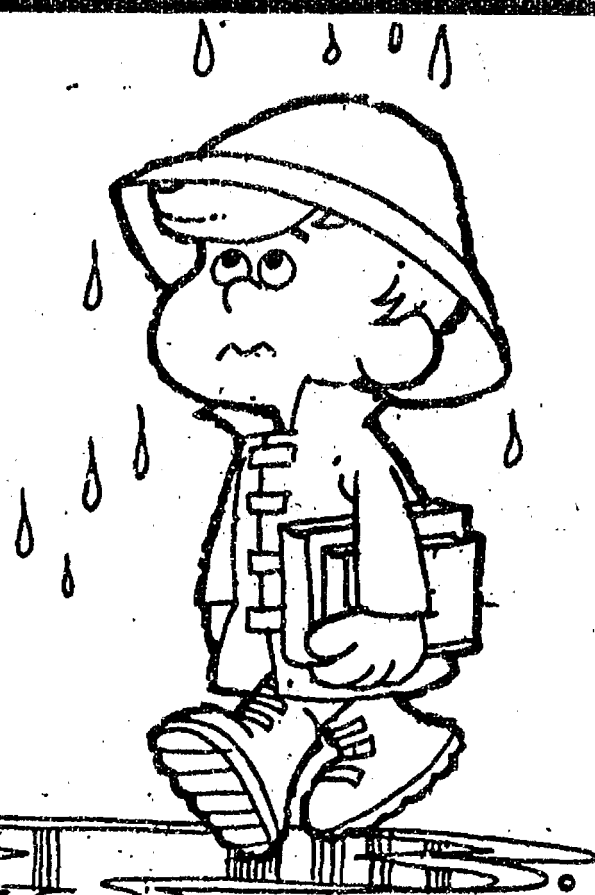
Occasionally the Avalanche will present position statements by your state and local elected officials. This week we quote from Allen Lowe (R) of the 105th state congressional district on gun control.

"The second amendment [of the U.S. constitution] guarantees the

right to bear arms. I think that right should be preserved, and I would do everything in my power to preserve it.

As far as the Brady Bill is concerned, I wouldn't be opposed to a waiting period to purchase a handgun, but I think it would lead to more restrictions."

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Commission On Aging

By Jan Farley

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Congregate meals are served at 12 noon and five o'clock, Monday through Thursday and at noon on Fridays. Menus are subject to change and are listed as Lunch/Dinner:

March 17-Fish/Beef Stew;
March 18-Meatballs/Italian Pork Roast;
March 19-Roast Chicken;
March 22-Sweet & Sour Pork/Salisbury Steak;
March 23-Stuffed Peppers/Maryland Chicken;
March 24-Turkey & Stuffing/Hamburgers;

March 25-BBQ Beef/Pork Chops;
March 26-Chicken Chop Suey.

Coming Events

Mondays-Roundtable discussion at 12:30, talk about old times, new times, trying times, good times and in general, shoot the breeze!

Crafts every Tuesday morning at 10 a.m., bring your own to do or learn something new to do.

Bible Study every Wednesday at 10:30 a.m.

Lovells Satellite on Friday, March 19, and Legal help at the Center at 1:30 p.m.

Sunday Potluck on March 21.

Special Note: There will be a very informative video on Tuesday, March 23, at 12:15 "What To Look For In A Nursing Home." Phyllis Brummer will host the video and answer questions. Following the video there will be dancing to Tina Kennedy on the organ.

On Wednesday, March 24, we have invited the students from the Shawono Learning Center to have lunch with us. Let's show them some real "Northern Hospitality" and, by your presence, how much we appreciate their many invitations at their place. Give us a call to let us know how many to plan for lunch. (348-7123).

March 25-Blood pressures and blood sugars taken from 11:30 to 12:30.

Larson joins hospital team

Angela Larson, a 1988 graduate of Grayling High School, has earned a bachelor of science degree in Occupational Therapy from Western Michigan University. While attending Western, Angela was a Medallion Scholar, named to the Dean's List four times, and a Gold Guide. Angela was also an active member of Pi Theta Epsilon, the National Honor Society Fraternity for Occupational Therapists.

This past summer, Angela worked as a student intern at Community Services for the Developmentally Disabled in Lansing. In September, Angela completed her internship at New Britain Memorial Hospital in

New Britain, Connecticut, a hospital for acute rehabilitation and chronic care. While there, Angela was asked to come back and join the team at New Britain Memorial as a Neurobehavioral Occupational Therapist. She will be working with post-acute traumatic brain injured patients. The program is the first of its kind in Connecticut, and Angela is helping to develop the program from the ground up.

While visiting Grayling for the holidays, Angela's grandparents, Emie and Elsie Larson, held a surprise graduation/going away party for her. Angela now resides in Newington, Connecticut.

Lamaze childbirth education classes begin here April 1

A new series of Lamaze childbirth education classes will begin Thursday, April 1, at Mercy Hospital/Grayling with instructor Joy Bobenmoyer, R.N.

Expectant parents can prepare for the birth of their child during this series of six sessions. You'll learn about pregnancy, child care tips, breastfeeding advice, relaxation techniques, preparation for labor and delivery, exercises and what to expect when you come to the hospital. A tour of the birthing room and Obstetrics Department at Mercy Hospital is included.

"Women should be in their seventh month of pregnancy when joining the class," Mrs. Bobenmoyer said. "This is the best time to learn the Lamaze

method of childbirth so it is fresh in your mind when you are delivering the baby."

This series of Lamaze classes will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Riverside Room, continuing through May 6. For the first session, meet in the hospital lobby. Cost is \$25 per couple if delivering at Mercy Hospital, or \$40 per couple if delivering elsewhere.

In addition, a three-session refresher course is held for parents wishing to renew their Lamaze skills. The cost is \$15 for refresher classes April 15 through 29.

Pre-registration is suggested but not required. For more information call the Obstetrics Department at 348-5461, ext. 167.

Bits Of Talk

On February 26, Virginia Bancroft and her mother, Martha Bancroft, were watching "World of Valor" on the Discovery Channel. Special forces from Hulbert Field, in Florida were featured, and Virginia's son, Ron, was shown. Ron is in the Air Force and is a 1988 graduate of Grayling High School.



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Local scouts win winter district title

On February 20, six members of Boy Scout Troop 979 took first place at the AuSable District Winter Event held at the Ogemaw County Fairgrounds in West Branch.

At the winter event, each boy followed a course to a total of eight stations. At each station they had to do a competition event that varied from matchless fire building, knot tying, and first aid. They were scored on how well they did each step along the way, their spirit, and how well they

followed the directions of their leader. When all the snow settled and the score sheets were totaled up, the local boys had placed first in the Team Knot Tying, Merit Badge Identification, and Trojan Horse Event, and second in Ice Rescue and Remote Clove Hitch Tying. After placing in five out of eight skill stations they had earned enough points to beat out the close competition on the overall first place.

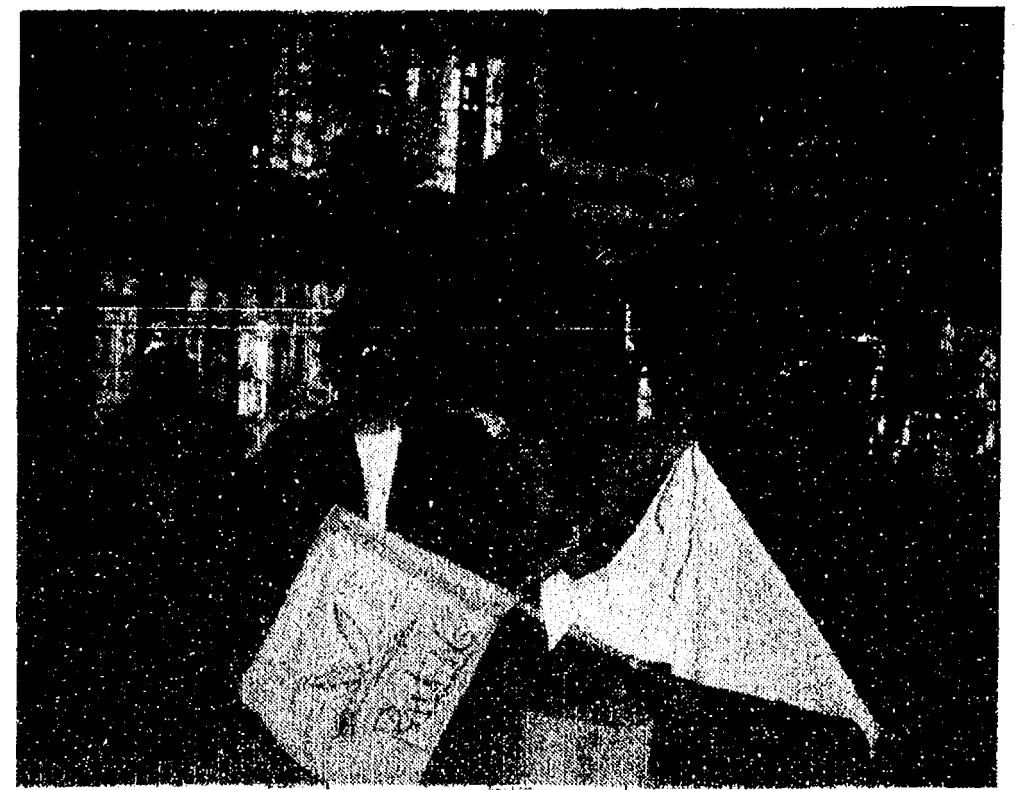
For placing first at this event the troop will get to keep the Totem, the

traveling trophy, which they won at the Fall Camporee last year. Before winning the district Totem last fall, no Boy Scout troop had won a district event since the fall of 1986. The district gets together three times a year for competition events. The next one will be in early May and will be held here in Grayling. There are currently fifteen troops in the AuSable. Those attending the event for troop 979 were Dylan Starks, Martin Kroell, Jason Rutter, Joe Morey, David Starks, and Rob Wakeley. Leaders attending were

Loren Goodale, scoutmaster, and Dan Starks, assistant scoutmaster.

Also as a part of this event was a competition for webelos scouts (fourth and fifth graders), and Grayling Pack 3993 had two dens that attended and competed.

Boy Scout Troop 979 would like to invite any boy between the ages of 11-18 or any current fifth grader ten years old to join the group. They meet every Monday night from 7-8:30 in Scout Hall (behind Goodale's Bakery).



SCOUTS WIN DISTRICT TITLE--Local Boy Scout Troop 979 took first place at the AuSable District Winter Event. Shown are (left to right) Dylan Starks, Martin Kroell, Jason Rutter, Joe Morey, David Starks, and Rob Wakeley.

All Outdoors

By Scott Rasmusson

With the calendar showing the first day of spring this coming Saturday and the weather outside showing signs of mid-January, it's hard to get excited about steelhead fishing, almost.

Steelhead are the larger and migratory version of our local rainbow trout. Originally from the west coast, they have taken well to the Great Lakes where they spend one to three years fattening up on baitfish before returning to their native streams to spawn. And when hooked in the river, steelhead will test your tackle and skill to its fullest extent.

If you go steelheading, be prepared. For flyfishing you will need an eight or nine foot, six to eight weight rod, a reel with a good drag and capable of holding 100 yards of backing. As for flies try: hares ear nymphs, stone flies, wollybuggers, Clark Lynn nymphs

(Springs wiggler), and caddis pupas, all in sizes six to ten.

If you use a spinning or casting rod, use one in the eight to ten foot medium to med-light rod, a reel with a good drag and capable of holding 150 yards of 12 pound main line. Attach to this a four to eight pound leader to save time reregging when you get snagged. As for lures, try: spoons, spinners, spawn bags and wigglers.

As for where to go, most streams that empty into the Great Lakes will have some sort of steelhead run, with some better than others. Check with your fishing guide to see which streams are open. You will also need a good pair of waders (preferably nonpermeable), as the water is extremely cold still. And a reminder, your fishing license expires at the end of the month, and the new ones are out, so there is no excuse to get caught without one.

County's Ducks Unlimited chapter plans annual banquet

Crawford County Ducks Unlimited will hold its annual banquet at the Grayling Knights of Columbus Hall on Saturday, March 27. Tickets will be \$40 per single and \$60 per couple. The price of the ticket includes an annual membership in Ducks Unlimited, a chance for door prizes, and buffet meal prepared by Patti's of Grayling.

Cocktails and registration begin at 6 p.m. with dinner at 7:30 p.m. There will be an auction, silent auction, raffles, and a few surprises. The Grand Door Prize will be a Mossberg 12 gauge, vent-rib, 3", pump shotgun. For more banquet information or to reserve tickets, contact Dr. Wayne Casler at (517) 348-8823, or Brian Banda at (517) 348-7227.

Local Weather

Courtesy of the City of Grayling

Date	High	Low	Rain or snow	Snow on Ground
3/10				17"
3/11	29	18		17"
3/12	21	14		17"
3/13	26	-11		17"
3/14	12	-4		17"
3/15	15	-4		17"
3/16	37	-5	0.09	19"

Extended forecast courtesy of the U.S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake: Wednesday will be partly sunny in the morning with a chance of snowshowers, becoming mostly sunny in the afternoon. The high will be in the upper teens to the low 20s. Thursday will be dry, with the high of 20 to 25 and the low of five to ten above. There is a chance of snow for both Friday and Saturday. The high for Friday will be 30 to 35 with the low in the teens. Saturdays high will be in the mid to upper 30s and the low will be in the mid 20s.

CANCER SOCIETY BENEFITS FROM SNOWMOBILE FUNDRAISER--Accepting a check for \$4285 from Jeff Nisch and Marian Graham(R), are American Cancer Society representatives Laurine Kraus and Cindi Olson (L). Jeff and Marian organized a snowmobile poker run in memory of Jeff's father Fred. More than 175 snowmobile entrants took part in the benefit. The fundraiser was hosted by The Swamp II in Frederic.

Canoe liveries support AuSable River patrol

The Grayling AuSable Canoe Livery Association recently met with the newly elected Crawford County Sheriff Dave Lovely and Undersheriff Art Clough to discuss the continuation of the AuSable River Patrol.

The patrol consists of one certified officer and a deputy, with vehicle and radio. They may call for backup assistance from the sheriff department if necessary. Visits are made to all of the liveries in the morning and they talk to many of the departing canoers and also patrol the canoe landings during the day. The liveries and the patrol officers put emphasis on responsible behavior while canoeing the river such as using little or no alcohol, staying off private property, littering, etc.

No tax money is used for this program. It is completely funded by the Canoe Livery Association, the AuSable Property Owners Association, Trout Unlimited, and the Anglers of the AuSable. Participating canoe liveries, at this time, are Borchers's, Ray's, Penrod's and Carlisle's.

All agreed that the patrol was

effective in promoting harmony between canoers, property owners, and fishermen and that it should be continued in 1993. As uniforms and radios were bought in 1992, it was felt that more funds would be available to expand the duties of the patrol this year.

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FRI. 19	•GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL Association Annual Pictionary @ K of C hall, 7:30 pm. •END OF 3RD MARKING PERIOD.
SAT. 20	•DISTRICT SCIENCE/ART FAIR @ MS gym & cafeteria, 9 am-3 pm. •FIRST DAY OF SPRING.
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MON. 22	•ELEMENTARY REPORT CARDS sent home. •KIWANIS LUNCHEON MEETING @ 12:10 pm, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel
TUES. 23	•GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL ASSOC. LUNCHEON MEETING @ noon, Copper Kettle Steak House and Lounge.
WED. 24	•ROTARY LUNCHEON MEETING @ noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •WEIGHT WATCHER'S MEETING @ St. Francis Episcopal Church on M-72 West; weigh-in 4:45 pm, meeting 5:30 pm.

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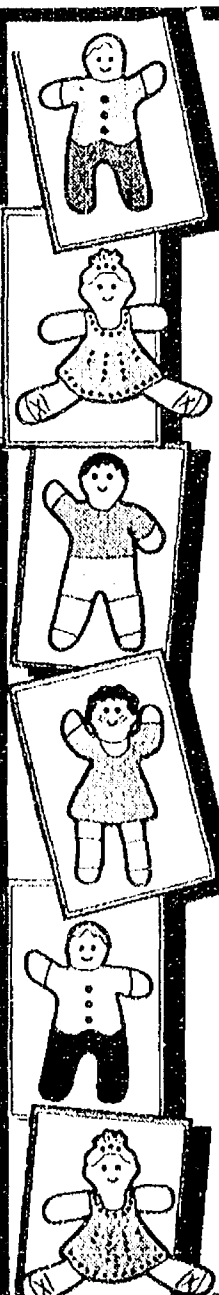
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New Business

Grayling becoming haven for talent

It has been no secret that Grayling has attracted many very talented artists, writers, and entertainers. The reason for this natural attraction has a great deal to do with the aesthetics and beauty of the area.

Another local talent has returned home after operating a business on the west coast. Dave Prause, son of accountant Don Prause, has brought his family and business "Dave Prause Enterprises" back to northern Michigan to work and enjoy the beauty of the area. Dave has worked in California as an independent craftsman and cabinet-maker for the past several years. In addition to cabinetry, Dave's skills include the creation of customized furniture, shelving, and

"anything made from wood except toothpicks."

The most unique feature of Dave's business is that it gives him the opportunity to combine his craftsmanship and creative ability to produce quality products for affordable prices. Once established, Dave would like to expand his business to include stained glass products, something he enjoyed greatly in California.

As an introduction to Dave's services, he is offering free remodeling consulting on an appointment basis. For more information or to schedule an appointment with "Dave Prause Enterprises" call Dave Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. locally at (517) 348-5838.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henry of Birch Run, announce the engagement of their daughter, Carrie Lynn, to Michael Petrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bader of Grayling. An August 14, 1993, wedding is planned.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Newberry of Frederic, announce the engagement of their daughter, Janet Newberry, to Steven Mosher, both of Rochester Hills. Steven is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Mosher of Clarkston. An April wedding is being planned.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Paul Warren Reinhardt of Boyne City (formerly of Grayling) and Jennifer Sue Mapes, announce their engagement and plans for an August 28, 1993, wedding. The bride-elect is the daughter of Jane Mapes and Buster Mapes of Boyne City. She is a 1989 graduate of Boyne Falls High School and is employed at Carter's Food Center. Her fiancé is the son of Warren C. Reinhardt and Betty L. Reinhardt of Boyne City. He is a 1990 graduate of Calvary Baptist Academy, Grayling. He is employed at Lexamar Corporation.

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8 students win VFW President's Day contest

Eight students at the Grayling Elementary School received ribbons, certificates, and gifts in a President's Day coloring contest sponsored by the local VFW 3736 Auxiliary.

Cameron McClain, 4th grade, Jenna Bugyi, 3rd, Coleman Payne, 2nd, and Daniel Fingstad, 1st, all took first place for their grades.

Angela Cooper, 4th, Alexis Sumner, 3rd, Amber Moore, 2nd, and Hannah MacMillen, 1st, all took 2nd place for their grades.

The members of the auxiliary were the judges in the contest. Lou Ann Crosby, auxiliary president, and Bernardine L. Denton, auxiliary chairperson, presented the ribbons, certificates, and gifts from the auxiliary to the winners March 1.

Schanz earns Marquette honor

Tracy R. Schanz, of Grayling, was named to the dean's list at Marquette University for the fall semester. She is a senior in the college of business administration at Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

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National author donates new book to library in memory of Bill Joseph

Nationally known author Robert Wilson has donated two copies of his newest book, *Second Fire*, to the Crawford County Library in memory of William Joseph.

Publication date of *Second Fire*, the title of Wilson's third novel, was March 1, 1993. Wilson's previous novels were *Ice Fire* and *Crooked Tree*, both set in northern Michigan locales.

Wilson mentioned that William Joseph was a special friend of his parents and was very helpful to him in backing the release of the novel *Crooked Tree*.

Wilson consented to a book signing session at Crawford County Library with the date and times to be set at a future date.

Other books donated to the Crawford County Library in memory of William Joseph are *World Almanac and Book of Facts 1993* and *Guinness Book of World Records 1993* by Jack McClain, *Angler's Guide to Ten Classic Trout Streams in Michigan* by Bill and

Sharon Klinger, *Whittling* by Brad and Ramona Jarmin, *JFK-Reckless Youth* by Wayne and Karen Casler, *Foxglove* by Mike and Rosie Gleason, *Mountain Windsong* by Cornell, *Mexico* (audio book) by Don and Rae Ann Schanz, *Ladies of the Lakes II* by Marjorie Walker, *Incredible Cross-Sections* by Mary Jane Knibbs, and *Timetables of History* by Allen and Mary Ruth Lowe.

Memorials for Kenneth Gothro include *Flying the Edge* by Cornell, *Military Uniforms* by C. F. Fick and Sons, *Playing the Great Game of Golf* by Dr. and Mrs. G. R. Schwarz and *Van Gogh* by Marjorie Walker.

In memory of Marvin Miller are *It Doesn't Take A Hero* (large print edition) by Cornell and 1993 *Information Please Sports Almanac* by C. F. Fick and Sons.

For Eva Stephan, *Growing Wildflowers* by Burdette and Bernice Scott, *Crocheting in Plain English* by Cornell and Maud, *the Life of L. M. Montgomery* by Jeff, Shirley, Jessica

and Erin Scott. In memory of Ruth Steffe, *China Silk* by Don and Rae Ann Schanz, *Lit a Shuck for Texas* (audio book) by Don and Joanne Ferguson, *Mountains of Quilt and Patchwork Frames* by Patti Mitchell.

Memorials for Ethel Parkinson include *Business of Sewing, Ideas for Great Bathrooms and Baby Cookbook* by Rodney and Jean McEachern, Mrs. Ralph Owen and Charles and Louise Bennett, *Christmas Witch* by Tim, Mary and Anthony Neal.

In memory of Katie and Cindi Graham, *Emma's Pet* (audio book) by Co-op Nursery.

For Cindi Graham, *More Hunter's Companion* by Mac's Drugs and *Harriet and the Garden* (audio book) by Cornell.

For Katie Graham, *Dinosaur Who Lived in My Backyard!* (audio book) by Cornell and Mr. Rabbit and the *Lovely Present* (audio book) by Mac's Drugs.

Other memorials purchased by Cornell Real Estate and Insurance include *George Lucas* for Fred Armstrong, *A Light In the Attic* for Tammy Spies, *I Promised My Dad* for Mark Kinnison, *Information Please Kids' Almanac* for Ryan Jozsa, *Presidential Landmarks* for Charles Long, *A River Runs Through It* for Robert Kelly, *Allergy Cooking With Ease* for Yong Peck, *Colin Powell for Kenneth Peck, Nature Photographer's Guide To Professional Field Techniques* for Frank Shearer, *Soft Toys To Sell* for Elizabeth Trudgeon, *Don't Know Much About Geography* for Richard Lovely, *Michigan Gold, Mining In the Upper Peninsula* for Ace Leng, *How to Build and Furnish a Log Cabin* for Forest Elwell, *Pearl Harbor* for Donald Wilson, *Cholesterol-free Cakes and Cookies* for Mildred Sampier, *Knitting in Plain English* for Ellen Hoisington and *Serling* for Dick Schmidt.

Whitey and Thelma Madsen donated *Tracking and the Art of Seeing* for Joseph Perry and *Easy Garden Design* for Lorraine (Norma) Kolka Higgins.

Other memorials include *Ideas for Great Kitchens* for Lorraine (Norma) Higgins by Beatrice Ahms, *Great American Pie* for Martha Petersen by Shirley and John Linendoll and Shirley Johnston, *Edgar Allan Poe* for Bill Hackett by Wayne and Karen Casler and subscription to *Science News Magazine* for Robert Pryor by C. F. Fick and Sons.

Uptown District members entertained at association's annual dinner

The Grayling Uptown Business District's annual dinner began on a serious note with a short, but poignant speech by Terry Dickinson, past president. Dickinson outlined some of the challenges the Grayling Uptown District Association has faced over the past ten years in their attempt to fulfill their part in the vision that, "Grayling has within its grasp the ability to become the number one destination spot in Michigan." The potential, according to Dickinson, remains vital, but requires a dying of sorts to status-quo ways of thinking.

Lanice Ruben was introduced as the new president of the board for 1993, Judy Weaver Dickinson as vice-president, Moe McNamara as treasurer, and Mary Coy as secretary. The other members of the board of directors are Shelley Radzwion, Paula Buchanan, D. J. Brown, and Allison Wyman.

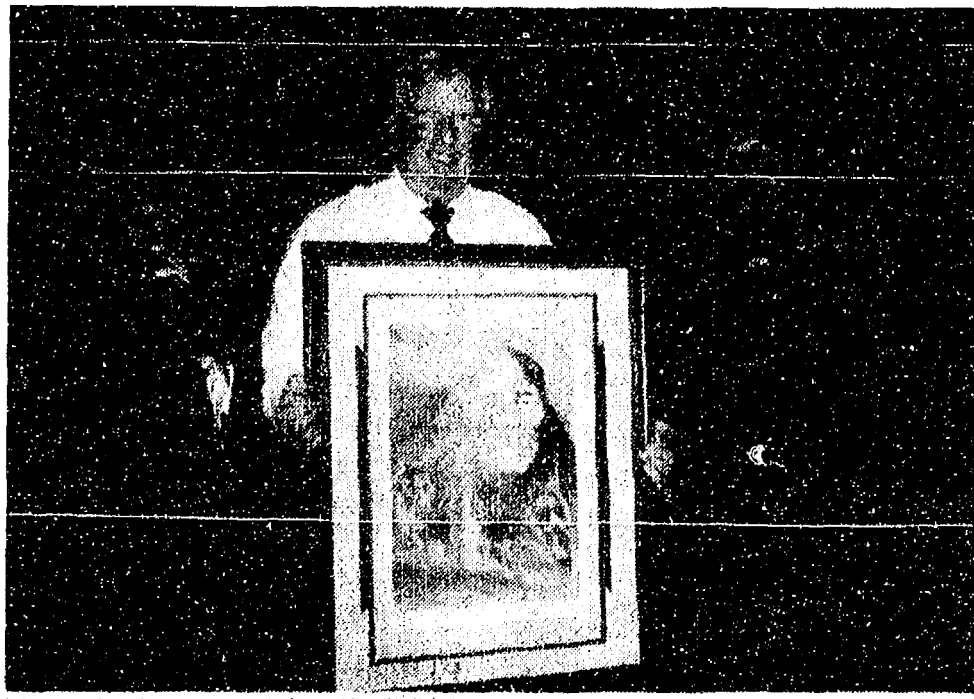
Then Bob Bloenk entered with a roar of laughter, music, and magic interspersed with his own home-spun philosophy. The first portion of his act took the audience on a philosophical stroll through popular music from the 40s to the present, with a special spoof on "the King" of rock-n-roll, Elvis. Then he moved into the field of magic, with each act punctuating a thought or an idea about how life should work. The humorous conclusion to his act was the "Grayling Hat Dance" by four of Grayling's business persons, who then formed a percussion section trying to follow Bloenk's lead in several songs.

Several door prizes from the Uptown merchants were given away. Larry Porter walked away with the grand prize, a limited edition print by Terry Dickinson which had been enhanced

by the creative framing of Paula Buchanan at the Framery II.

The Shoppenagon Hotel provided

the setting and a buffet. Gary and Janet LaCroix concluded the evening with music and dancing.



GRAND PRIZE WINNER--Larry Porter, center, won a limited edition print by Terry Dickinson, right, and framed by Paula Buchanan, left. The Grayling Uptown District Association gave away the prize at their annual dinner.



MAGICAL ENTERTAINMENT--Bob Bloenk, right, entertained the Grayling Uptown District Association with music, magic, and much humor.

Democrats select new meeting site

The Crawford County Democratic Party will hold a general membership meeting on Monday, March 22, at the St. Francis Episcopal Church at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will focus on the 1993-94 political calendar in Crawford County. This is a new date and location for the meeting. The public is encouraged to attend.

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CELEBRATING 100 YEARS

Joseph Stripe, local educator for 37 years, leaves mark here

Joseph H. Stripe, 82, retired superintendent of Grayling Public Schools, passed away Thursday morning, March 11, 1993. Mr. Stripe, as he was known to hundreds of students from the time he came to Grayling in 1936 until his retirement in June, 1973, was one of Grayling's staunchest school supporters and it seems only fitting that his name will live on in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium at the present Grayling High School.

Stripe was born in Ontonagon on April 25, 1910, to Thomas Patrick and Eleanor Salmon Stripe and he was always proud of the fact that he was born in the year of Haley's Comet. He graduated from Ontonagon High School in 1928 and from Northern Michigan University in 1932. His first teaching job was in Grayling as an industrial arts instructor and geography teacher. Later on, he taught math classes and eventually became principal of the high school in 1949. He became superintendent in 1955, and led the school district to a successful election campaign for the construction of the present day high school which opened the fall of his retirement in 1973.

He was married to Faith Nebel in Marquette on June 10, 1940, and to this union were born two daughters, Catherine and Rhea.

During the years of his employment in the Grayling schools, he actively supported the students in many

endeavors. In the early years, it was necessary to do many things outside of the classroom and he was always willing to do more than his share for the school, never complaining about the many extra hours that were required. He believed in his students and felt that for many it was the best years of their lives.

In the 1960s, when a community college was being brought up as a possible solution for furthering education, he did all he could to foster the idea and has retained an avid interest in it.

He was an active member of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling for 42 years and will be greatly missed by his fellow members. A scholarship program at Kirtland Community College in his name is being planned; he had already been advised of it.

He was a member of St. Mary's Church, Grayling.

Surviving are his wife, Faith, of Grayling; two daughters, Catherine Lester of Perranporth, Cornwall, England, and Rhea Glisan of Columbia, Maryland; five grandchildren, Henry Joseph and Arthur Geraint Lester of England, Julie, Dena, and Shannon Glisan of Maryland; and two sisters, Winifred Glaser of Dearborn and Catherine Radtke of Lewiston, Idaho.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service will be held on Saturday, March 20, 1993, at 11:30 a.m. at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, Grayling. Rev. Michael Connor, Rev. Joe Robertson and Paul Lerg will officiate. The family suggests memorials to the Salvation Army or the Joseph and Faith Stripe Scholarship in care of the GHS Alumni Association, 403 Michigan Avenue, Grayling.

Hobby Club plans annual officers' dinner

The Frederic Hobby Club met Monday, March 8, at the Frederic Town Hall. The following officers were elected, president, Margaret Gugin, vice president, Peggy Robinson, treasurer, Bunny Kammer, club rentals, Annabelle Armstrong, secretary and club historian, Elvira Jasmin, cards and gifts, Grace Germain, activity committee, Merna Newberry and Peggy Robinson, newspaper reporter and publicity, Merna Newberry.

Plans are also being made for C.A.R.E. Coffee Break programs for 1993.

March 22 is the date of their Officers' Dinner. It will be held at the Copper Kettle at 5:30 p.m.

Eleanor White and Connie Rozanski were co-hostesses and Grace Germain was the winner of the door prizes. Their next meeting will be held Monday, April 12.

Latusek earns citizen award

The Citizens Committee for the Right to Keep and Bear Arms has announced that Donald Latusek of Grayling has been selected to receive a Citizen of the Year Award.

Donald Latusek has been selected to receive this Citizen of the Year Award because of a dedication to the efforts to preserve the right of the people to keep and bear arms as guaranteed by the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution according to Committee officials.

"If it weren't for people like Donald Latusek, our Constitutional rights would have been eroded years ago," stated Alan Gottlieb, chairman of the Citizens Committee.

Criteria for selection of the Citizen of the Year Award is based upon the activities of individual members. Such as being active in local, state and national gun rights issues, by writing editors of newspapers, contacting elected officials or appearing for public testimony.

The Citizens Committee for the Right to Keep and Bear Arms is a national organization with nearly 500,000 members as well as more than 130 members of congress serving on their National Advisory Council.

Bits Of Talk

Sarah Perry, the granddaughter of Rose Perry of Grayling, was selected to the 1993 Rhode Island Music Educators Association Junior Division All-State Chorus. Perry, a soprano, is the daughter of Lloyd and Patti Perry, of Hope, Rhode Island. The chorus of all-state seventh, eighth, and ninth graders performed a concert on Sunday, March 14.

Kmart Store Walkers

TO: Grayling Area Residents
FROM: Paul Lokal - Kmart

Some of our customers have asked if they could bring their walking shoes into our Grayling Kmart store before the store opens and get some exercise. We think it's a great idea!

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The only things you need to do are: 1) sign this form and drop off at the Grayling Kmart and 2) show up!

TO: Paul Lokal
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Yes, I would like to participate in the early morning walks through your store anytime between 7:00 am and 8:15 am Monday through Saturday. I do understand that because the store is not open for business during those times and because there may be hazardous conditions I wouldn't normally find in the store, I will use the store aisles at my own risk and I will not hold Kmart Corporation liable if I am injured while participating in an early morning walk.

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Date _____

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The Michigan Employment Security Commission's (MESC) Advocacy Program is offering free seminars on laws and rules of practice for those interested in becoming advocates for employers or claimants.

The Advocacy Program consists of a statewide network of independent contractors who provide consultation and representation to those appealing unemployment benefit and tax decisions.

The seminars, which help candidates prepare for the qualifying exam required to become an advocate, will be held March 31-April 2 in St. Joseph; April 14-16 in Houghton Lake; and April 21-23 in Lansing.

For information on becoming an advocate or attending one of the seminars, contact the MESC Advocacy Program at 1-800-638-3994.

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The GMS Drama Club "snoops" out another play

The next performance by the GMS Drama Club is *Sherlock Holmes* by Tim Kelly. This is a sparkling version of the famed play written by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. Performances will be March 30th and April 1st at the Joseph Stripe Auditorium at Grayling High School. Curtain time is 7 o'clock. The play runs about two hours.

Thirty-four cast members, plus set members will entertain for the evening. Lead roles are held by Mike Knight as Sherlock Holmes, Erin Mills plays Alice Faulkner, Casey McCoy plays Dr. Watson, Annie Becks is Professor Moriarty, Mary Wakeley plays Madge Larrabee, Jake Macklem is James Larrabee, Jason Steele plays Sid Prince, and Naomi Roy is Mrs. Bassick. Other parts are held by Ethan Graham, Paul Lingle, Ravi Ramaswamy, Julie Hexham, Onna Ingvarsson, Gretchen Ross, Chris Floriano, Nicole Craigie, Mike Bobenmoyer, Bethany Pettyjohn, Samantha Millikin, Anna Niedrick, Rachael Porter, Mike Moshier, Nathan Wirtjes, Jessica Scott,

and Katie Baldwin. Autumn Smith, David Fairbotham, Bonnie Pooley, Christina Kenny, Heidi Everson, Amanda Febey, Becky Pilon, Allison Pettyjohn, and Crystal Pilon are Londoners. Danielle McClain, Tony Nolan, David Shepherd, and Brain Sattler help with the set.

Students practice after school everyday from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. in the middle school cafeteria. As the performance gets closer, practice will move to the high school.

The plot of *Sherlock Holmes* deals with villains, bank robberies, time bombs, kidnappings, possible world wars, and only Holmes can stop them.

Director Jim Lewis, G.M.S. Language Arts teacher, says he has a great cast. The play has people from *The Christmas Revel* students. Lewis feels the play is very exciting and it has complex scenery, staging, and lighting.

Middle School students are excited about drama and can't wait for the production.

Hi-tech timer brings ski racing back to Hanson Hills

By Terry Wright

In a major step that will boost the capabilities of local downhill ski programs, Hanson Hills now boasts the ownership of advanced timing equipment. That, and their new ability to make snow, have enabled them to host a series of skiing competitions for the first time in many years, and, finally, the high school ski team will be able to train at home without travelling to Gaylord.

The snowmaking equipment, which began operation earlier this year, enables a longer skiing season, regardless of natural snowfall. It also builds a deeper base so racing flagsticks can easily be supported.

The timing device includes a starting gate that activates a computerized timer. The timer displays the skier's time as he or she races down the hill. When the skier crosses the finish line, the clock stops and displays the finishing time in minutes, seconds, and tenths of seconds.

At the starting point, at the top of the hill, a small shed has been erected so that race officials can regulate starting times. Another shed is at the finish line. Race officials can watch over the

entire course from these vantage points.

The addition of the new equipment should help to improve the racing times of the members of the Grayling High School ski team, and will enable the middle school to finally have a ski program of their own. This year the high school ski team was beaten only by teams from schools that offered middle school skiing programs. The Grayling Middle School already has the foundation in place for a quality skiing program. Through the entire winter, this year, John Alef and Mark Sloan of Grayling, have volunteered their Sunday afternoons to work with kids of middle school age and younger on racing techniques.

The new Hanson Hills timer and buildings were the results of community donations. Grayling Township purchased the timer, Weyerhaeuser donated building materials for the buildings, John Miller of Frederic donated doors and windows for the buildings, and the buildings were constructed through the community service work program under the supervision of Harold Mertes.

JVs finish at 10-10

The Grayling High School junior varsity boys' basketball team closed its season with a 74-71 home-court loss to Elk Rapids on March 5.

Grayling led for most of the game before falling behind. It was 18-15 after the first period, 36-26 at the half and 53-45 after three, but the Vikings just couldn't hold on to their lead.

"I felt the kids played hard from the tip until the end, but we ran out of time," said Coach Warren (Butch) Hayes. "We ended the season doing

all the right things except winning. It was a very good team effort. They ended their season playing with class."

Sophomore Ben Croze led the Viking in scoring with 38 points. Sophomore Brian Dunckley added ten; Chris Jones eight; freshman Jason Thompson, five; sophomores Charlie Kucharek and Scott Longendyke, three apiece; and freshmen Chris Kucharek and Corey Northrop, two apiece.

Croze also led in rebounds with 16; and Jones, Longendyke and Dunckley all kicked in three apiece.

Jones also added eight assists. "At this time, the team and I would like to thank all the parents, staff, students and community for their support throughout the season," said Hayes.

The junior varsity team closed its season with a 10-10 record.

Croze, Dunckley, Jones and Longendyke joined the varsity squad for the district tournament.

GHS yearbooks still available

The Grayling High School 1993 SAGA yearbook is still on sale. Copies can be ordered for \$30 from Nancy Lemmen, adviser, in Room 13 at the high school. The SAGA is scheduled for publication in the fall of 1993.

The 1992 SAGA won an award of excellence from the Michigan Interscholastic Press Association and a 1st place from the Columbia Scholastic Press Association.



SELECTED FOR PUBLICATION--Five students from Mrs. Rauch-Smock's Grayling Elementary class were selected from a poetry contest to be published in the 1993 edition of *Anthology of Poetry by Young Americans*. From left are Mrs. Rauch-Smock, James Kenney, Lexi Bondar, Nicole Persing, Rod Halstead, and Alex Pomeroy. (Linda Wright photo)

School Page



FREDERIC STUDENTS HELP NEEDY--Frederic Elementary Student Council President Kyle Crawford presented Mr. Johnson from the Community Help Center, with 325 canned goods and \$37.85 collected by the children.

BEST BUTTON CONTEST--Winners of Mr. Hatfield's 4th grade class button making contest are (left to right) Angela Fisher, April Schroyer, and Nathan Ross, shown with Grayling principal Mrs. Mick.



HIPPIE DAY--Travis Hopp, at the Grayling Middle School, dressed up for Hippie Day during Spirit Week activities.



SPIRIT WEEK KING & QUEEN--Cheryl McCurdy and Aaron Perrin, eighth graders at Grayling Middle School, were crowned King and Queen during Spirit Week activities.

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STUDENTS OF THE MONTH--Grayling Middle School students honored for February were (back row) Shannon Wakeley, Ean Mata, Jeremy Colby, Joe Collen, Ethan Graham, Spring Gates; (middle row) Shilee Reed, Jenny Ohowski, Chip Mason, Travis Hopp, Amanda Febey, and Jenna Gay; (front row) Nathan Bush, Brooke Ginther, Krystyna Rugenstein, Christi Dunckley, Lloyd Brady. Not pictured were Mary Dobry, Onna Ingvarsson, Jeremy Latuszek, Cheryl McCurdy, Adam Milliken, Michael Ostwald, Amanda Pratt, and Andy Wadsworth.

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Mack sets GHS record with six trips to state wrestling finals



Sam Mack

By Nancy Lemmen
Grayling High School senior wrestler Sam Mack (145 pounds) made it to the top 12 (out of 16), but failed to place in the Class B state finals tournament, held March 12-13, at the Kellogg Center in Battle Creek.

Mack placed 2nd at the individual regional tournament in Alma on February 27, to qualify for the finals. He has qualified for the state finals tournament all four years of his high school wrestling career. He also qualified for team finals twice, for a total of six trips to state — a GHS record.

Mack lost his first match to Quincy Rice, from Jackson County Western, by a pin at 1:17.

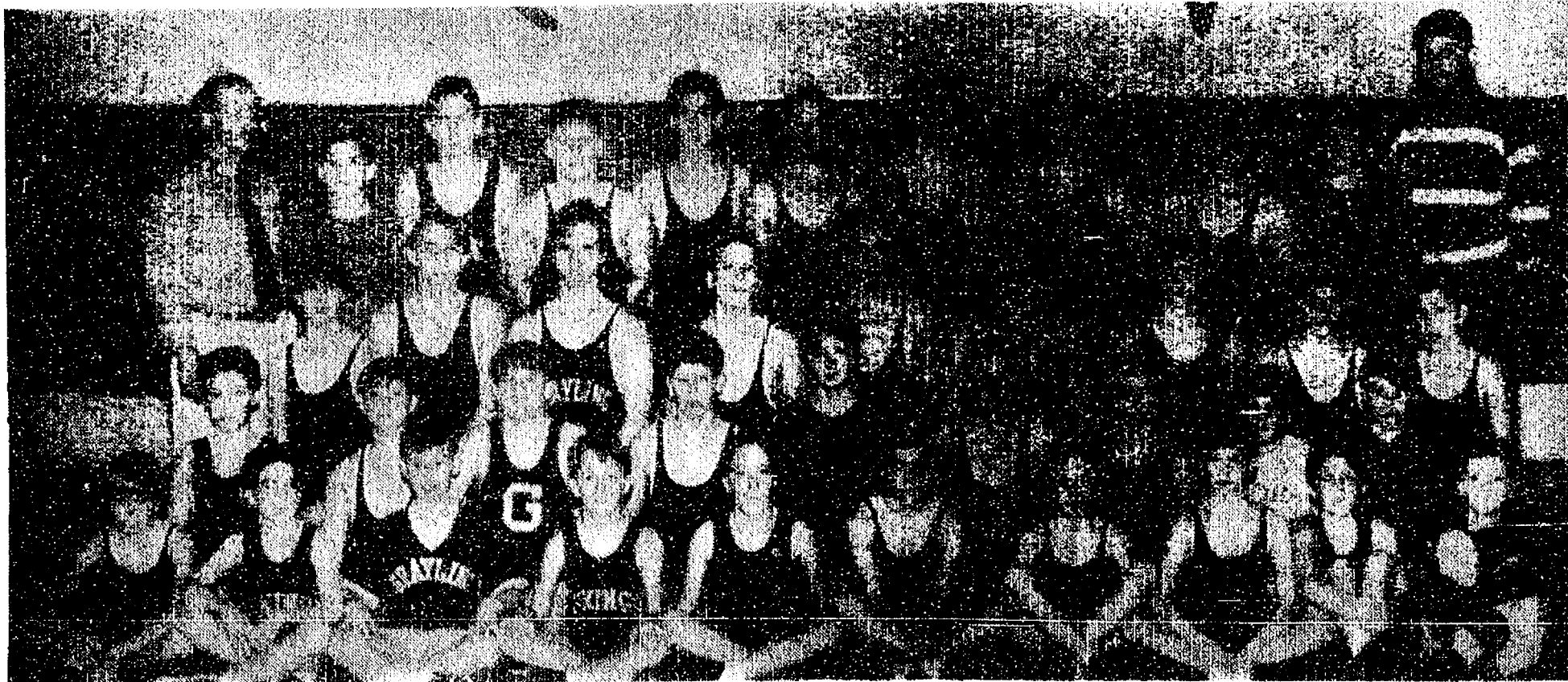
He came back to win his next match against Mike Lieber, from Otisville-Lakeville, 11-7.

Then he lost his third match to Dave Wright, Cedar Springs, by a pin at 2:02. Wright had previously beaten Mack at the regional tournament to take 1st place.

"Sam ended up in top 12," said Coach Don Ferguson. "One more win and he would have placed in the state. The competition was the best I've seen. The 145-pound weight class was exceptionally hard this year. He had a poor draw; he ended up having to take on the kid (Wright) who placed 2nd in the state last year. That was Sam's third match, which would have qualified him for the final eight."

There was a big crowd at Kellogg Center for the finals, said Ferguson. "They do a first-class operation down there. There were 6,500 people at the finals; the place was jammed."

"(This year) was a learning season, because we had a lot of young kids," concluded Ferguson. "I expect more next year."



GMS WRESTLING TEAM--(front) George Bielat, Brent Holborn, James Jones, Brian Powell, Sean Dushane, Roger Robbins, Jeremy Nelson, Eli Tobin, Josh Niederer, Aaron Oliver; (2nd row) Eddie Wilson, Justin Probst, Shane Colby, Ryan Steiger, Andy Radzwion, Nathan Niederer, Dave Shepherd, Isaac Tobin, Rocky DeVries; (3rd row) Damon Morgan, David Allen, William Miller, Josh Colby, Chad Holly, Brian Dietz, Danny Ray, Ott Medeiros, Marc Weaver; (back) Coach Bill Bedford, Ben Malonen, Neal Jozsa, Adam Galvani, Andy VanGuilder, Travis Hopp, Josh Taylor, Jason Hall, Joe Medeiros, Brandon Hoggard, Assistant Coach Gary Hopp.



HOOP MANIA--Excitement peaked at the district finals last Friday as junior Kris Andersen was the first Viking to crash through a hoop during a pre-game introduction. (Laurie Mier photo)

GMS wrestlers grab hold of 20 medals

The Grayling Middle School wrestling team brought home 20 medals from the Whittemore-Preseott Tournament, sponsored by the North Eastern Michigan Wrestling Association, on Saturday, March 13.

Medal winners in the age 9-10 category included: Josh Niederer (67 pounds), 1st; Aaron Oliver (85 pounds), 3rd; and Sean Dushane (85 pounds), 2nd.

Winners in the age 11-12 category were: Chris Ramsey (65 pounds), 1st; Eli Tobin (70 pounds), 2nd; David Shepherd (95 pounds), 1st; Ben Malonen (100 pounds), 2nd; Neal Jozsa (126 pounds), 3rd; and Nathan Niederer (133 pounds), 2nd.

Age 13-14 winners were: Dana Beckwith (85 pounds), 3rd; Andy Radzwion (90 pounds), 2nd; Damon Morgan (95 pounds), 1st; Roger Robbins (100 pounds), 2nd; Monte Taylor (122 pounds), 1st; Jason Hall (130 pounds), 3rd; Andy VanGilder (130 pounds), 2nd; Brian Dietz (138 pounds), 1st in A bracket; Adam Galvani (138 pounds), 1st in B bracket; Joe Medeiros (145 pounds), 2nd; and William Miller (170 pounds), 3rd.

"It was a good tournament with 20 medals overall," said Coach Bill Bedford. "We had some injuries and some kids sick or we would have done better."

The GMS wrestlers' next tournament is at Charlevoix on Saturday, March 20.

"We will probably see schools we haven't wrestled before, so we don't know just what to expect, but I'm sure with our experience that we will be able to do well there," said Bedford.

Bear's Bowmen

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Al & Chris		27.5
Miguel & Tim		15
High Team Average: Berry & Terry, 530.		
Men's High Scratch Game: Bill Weaver, 282.		
Ladies High Scratch Game: Jody Jones, 258.		
Youth High Scratch Game: Miguel Perez, 248.		

Grayling Little League starts registration for baseball, ages 8-15, softball ages 10-15

Boys ages 8-15 and girls ages 10-15 wanting to play baseball and softball this year in the Grayling Little League organization can register starting Monday, March 22, through Friday, April 16.

There are separate leagues for boys and girls. Boys ages 8-10 are eligible to play on a minor league team. Boys

ages 10-12 are eligible to play on a major league team, and boys 13-15 are eligible to play on a senior league team. Girls ages 10-12 are eligible to play on a major league team, and girls 13-15 are eligible to play on a senior league team. A player's age is determined by how old he or she is on August 1, 1993.

Registration is \$20 a child with a

limit of \$40 cost to a family. Parents may sign players up for the Grayling Little League at Hanson Hills 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Or you can mail in the Little League application to Grayling Little League, c/o Hanson Hills, P.O. Box 361, Grayling MI 49738. Registration deadline is April 16 at 5 p.m. Copies of birth certificates are needed to register.

Tryouts for boys ages 10-12 and 13-15 will be held Saturday, April 17, at the Millikin Little League field. Major league tryouts (boys ages 10-12) will be held 11 a.m. to noon. Senior league try-outs (boys ages 13-15) will be held noon to 1 p.m.

The next meeting of the Grayling Little League board will be held 7 p.m. Sunday, March 28.

Sports



SKY HIGH--Senior Matt Cragg soared to win the opening tip against Petoskey.

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I, WE will furnish a certified birth certificate of the above named candidate to League Officials.

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Vikings beat Gaylord; can't get by Petoskey in finals

By Nancy Lemmen
The good news is that the Grayling Vikings beat Gaylord in their first game of the district basketball tournament on March 10. The bad news is that the Vikings then lost to Petoskey in the finals on Friday evening.

"We hoped we would bring the district trophy back to Grayling," said Coach Tom Mills. "But it just wasn't there and we're sorry we disappointed our fans, but we played as hard as we could."

The Vikings were on a roll as they faced Gaylord at Gaylord on Wednesday evening after initially drawing a bye. Going into the contest with four straight victories and having defeated the Blue Devils twice this season, Grayling went straight to work on another victory — this one, 65-53.

The Vikings opened up a 40-31 lead at the half, which the Blue Devils cut to four (47-43) at the end of the third period.

"It basically stayed that way, with a six-to-eight-point lead, back and forth," said Mills. "We had a six-point lead with about 1:20 left in the game. They took a three and missed it, and then we broke their pressure and (senior center) Matt Cragg got a dunk off it. That was like icing on the cake."

"I thought it was a very intense ball game," he continued. "We did a lot of things we had to do and the kids responded well to the pressure to beat Gaylord and win their first (district) game."

The leading scorer for Grayling was junior Kris Andersen with 26 points. Senior Nick Hebekeuser added 12, and senior Eric LaForest made another ten.

LaForest and Andersen had eight rebounds each.

Senior Mike Kirmo made eight assists.

Grayling was 15 for 19 (79 percent) at the free throw line.

The Vikings, however, failed to make any three-point shots out of their half dozen attempts.

"Our three-point shooting went by the wayside at the end of the season," said Mills. "But it was a real good ball game for us to win and the kids were real excited about it."

PETOSKEY GAME
The Vikings' largely successful season came to a sad end two evenings later, again in Gaylord, when they fell to the Northmen, 80-58.

Petoskey led the entire game — 21-11 after one quarter, 38-24 at the half and 59-42 after three quarters.

"We got off to an extremely slow start and — whether it was that we were in the finals or what — we just weren't hitting," said Mills. "Shots that should have fallen, didn't, and that put us in the hole early."

In the first half, the Vikings again were shut out from the three-point range, shooting zero for four, and they were somewhat stymied even in the two-point range, going eight for 28 (29 percent).

"That somewhat typified the game," said Mills. "We made nine for 22 two-pointers (41 percent) and four for 11 (36 percent) from the three point range in the second half. We didn't improve."

By contrast, Petoskey shot five for six three-pointers (83 percent) and were 22 for 43 (51 percent) in two-pointers.

"We took more shots than they did," said Mills. "We were 17 for 50 (34 percent) to their 22 for 43. They also shot 22 for 26 (85 percent) from the line, so they had an outstanding shooting night. We were 12 for 15 (80 percent)."

"We didn't challenge them as often as we should have on offense. A lot of ours were just jump shots. Petoskey got a lot of their points inside. While we were shooting eight- or 12-footers, they were shooting six-footers, so their percentage is going to be higher."

"We didn't rebound," he continued. "A key for us is to rebound and we just did not rebound well. To Petoskey's credit, they boxed out well, but we were caught standing and watching instead of going to the boards. Rebounding is a team effort and we would get one or two people going to the boards while Petoskey would have four or five. They outrebounded us, 36-22."

High scorers for Grayling were LaForest with 21 and Andersen with 16.

Leading rebounder was Hebekeuser with six.

Kirmo made nine assists.

"I felt, going into this ball game, we were in a really good position," said Mills. "The momentum was going our way. Our last four ball games have been really good games. I felt really confident and I think the kids felt confident they could beat Petoskey. But it just wasn't to be. Maybe we were overexcited. We never found an

offensive or defensive rhythm."

Despite the disappointing and abrupt end, it was a successful season for the Vikings. They reign as division co-champs, they beat Roscommon twice and Gaylord three times and they finished 17-5 (7-1).

"But we were disappointed we didn't bring home the district trophy," said Mills.

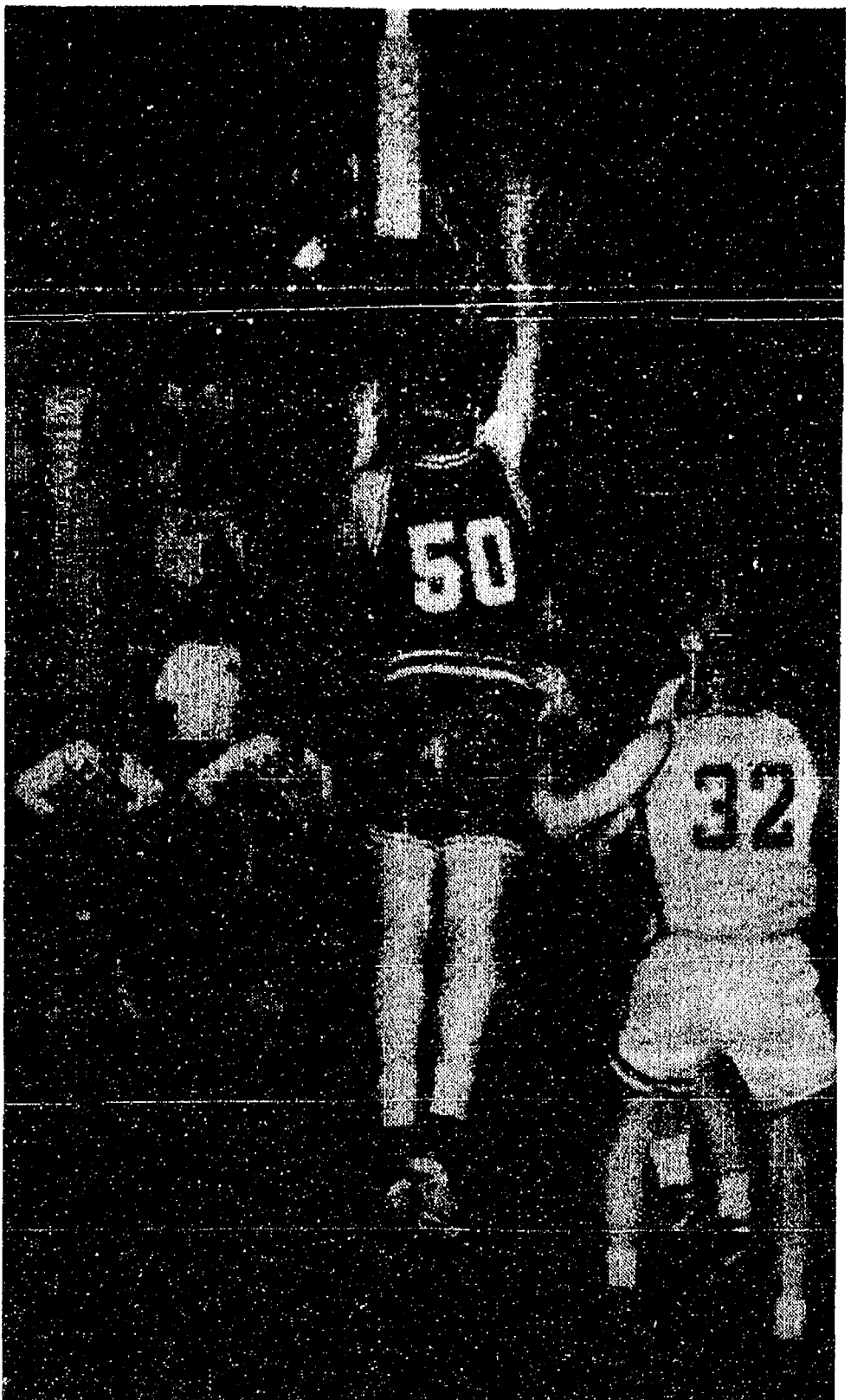
He said the coaching staff and team appreciated the efforts of Ron and Joni Hall, Chris and Lee Ann Hunkley and Doug and Mary Ann Hunkley for providing them with pre-tournament dinners, Victor Viking for being at both games, the spectators who hung

the huge "Viking Country" sign at the games and the students who posted the "Road to Victory" signs along 93 all the way to the expressway.

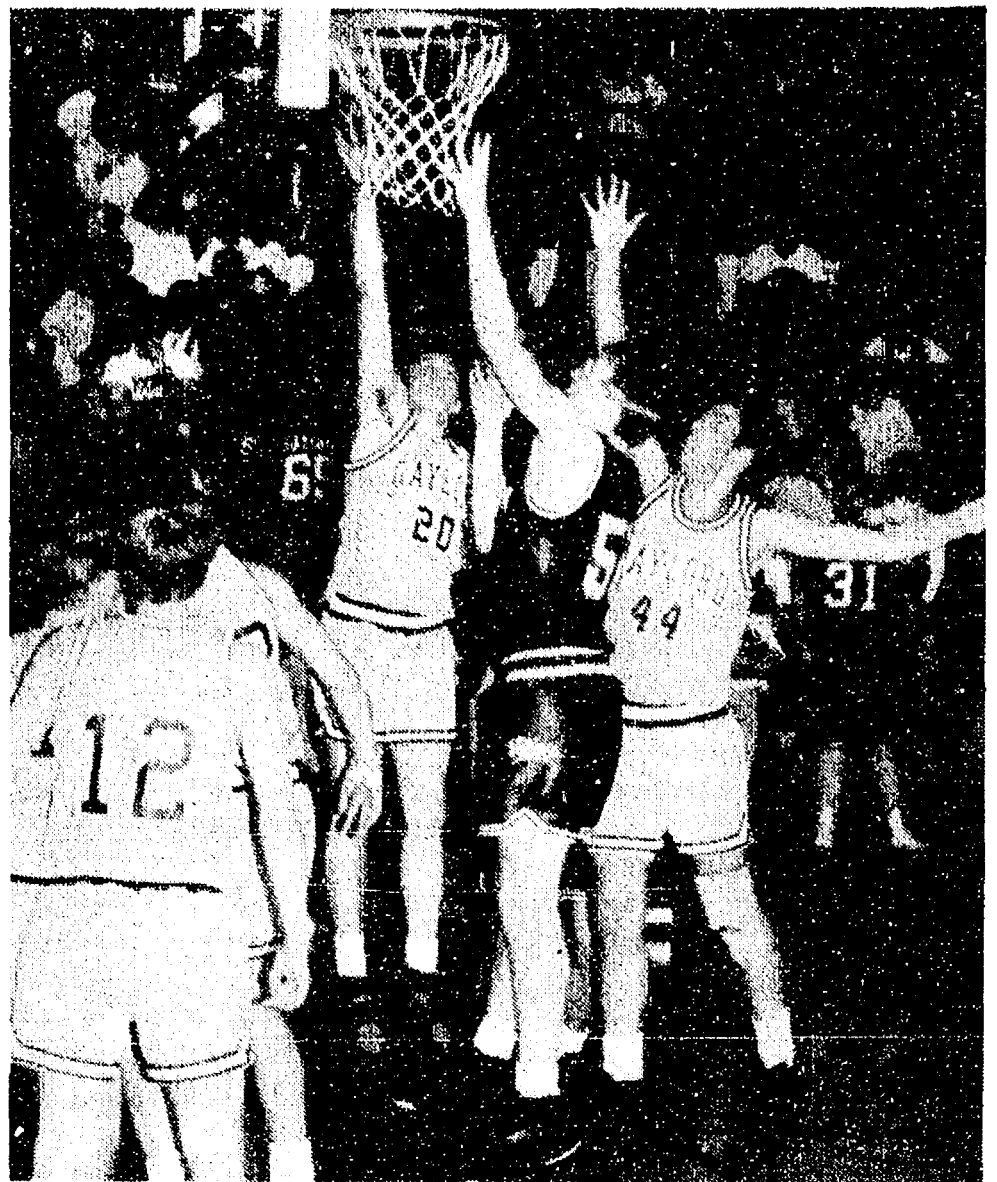
"This was a great bunch of kids to coach," he said. "They were fun and I never doubted their work ethic."

"I would also like to recognize Chris Duncley for donating his time (as assistant coach) because of his love of the game and kids. He was an important part of our program."

"Our fans began to pick it up at the end of the season and provided us with a lot of support," Mills concluded. "During the tournament, our fans were great. They were loud and gave the team and coaches a lot of enthusiasm."



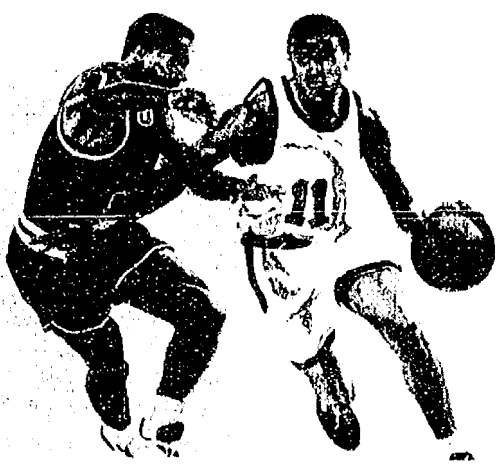
SENIOR LEADER--Eric LaForest went strong to the basket over Petoskey defenders. The senior led Grayling to a 17-5 season. (Laurie Mier photo)



1,000-POINT CAREER--Senior Eric LaForest, who scored more than 1,000 points for GHS, helped lead Grayling past Gaylord in the district game last Wednesday. (Laurie Mier photo)

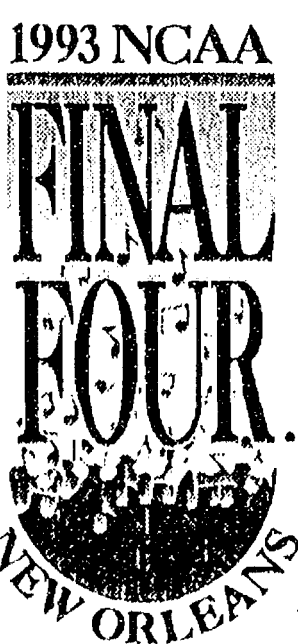
Kentucky (28-3)	Sunday at Nashville, Tenn.
Flick & Sons, Inc.	Friday at Nashville, Tenn.
Rider (19-10)	
Ray's Caneeling & The Fly Factory	
Utah (23-8)	Sunday at Nashville, Tenn.
Mac's Drugs	Friday at Nashville, Tenn.
Pittsburgh (17-10)	
Grayling Country Club	
Wake Forest (19-9)	Sunday at Nashville, Tenn.
Sylvester's	Friday at Nashville, Tenn.
Tenn.-Chattanooga (28-6)	
Goodale's Bakery	
Iowa (22-8)	Sunday at Nashville, Tenn.
J.C. Penney	Friday at Nashville, Tenn.
N'East Louisiana (28-4)	
Century 21 River Country Real Estate, Grayling	
Kansas State (19-10)	Saturday at Orlando
McLean's Hardware	Thursday at Orlando
Tulane (21-8)	
Brad Scheer	
Florida State (22-9)	Saturday at Orlando
The Loop Deli	Thursday at Orlando
Evansville (23-5)	
Century 21 River Country Real Estate, Sales Consultants	
Western Kentucky (24-5)	Saturday at Orlando
John Herrick	Thursday at Orlando
Memphis State (20-11)	
Grayling Insurance Agency	
Seton Hall (27-6)	Saturday at Orlando
Norma Naour	Thursday at Orlando
Tennessee State (19-9)	
All-New Grayling Ford	
Michigan (28-4)	Sunday at Tucson
Frederic Inn	Friday at Tucson
Coastal Carolina (22-9)	
Continental Rental	
Iowa State (20-10)	Sunday at Tucson
The Outpost	Friday at Tucson
UCLA (21-10)	
Charlene Scheer, Century 21 Real Estate	
New Mexico (24-5)	Sunday at Tucson
The Party Line	Friday at Tucson
George Washington (19-8)	
North Central Area Credit Union	
Georgia Tech (19-10)	Sunday at Tucson
Cliff Wheeler	Friday at Tucson
Southern (28-9)	
Davis Jewelers & Gemologist	
Illinois (18-12)	Saturday at Salt Lake City
Upper Lakes Tire	Thursday at Salt Lake City
Long Beach State (22-9)	
Toupin Chiropractic Clinic	
Vanderbilt (25-5)	Saturday at Salt Lake City
4 Mile Welding	Thursday at Salt Lake City
Boise State (21-7)	
Cross Country Ski Shop	
Temple (17-12)	Saturday at Salt Lake City
Moore's Automotive	Thursday at Salt Lake City
Missouri (19-13)	
Grayling Country Club	
Arizona (24-3)	Saturday at Salt Lake City
Hard Times Saloon	Thursday at Salt Lake City
Santa Clara (18-11)	
Chief Shoppenagon's	

NCAA Tournament Time!



Finals

Louisiana Superdome
New Orleans
April 5



NCAA Tournament bracket
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North Carolina (28-4)	7 - Eleven
Thurs. at Winston-Salem, N.C.	
East Carolina (13-15)	
Clair's Standard Service	
Rhode Island (18-10)	Saturday at Winston-Salem
Craig Hinkle	
Thurs. at Winston-Salem, N.C.	
Purdue (19-9)	
Larry & Joan's Place	
St. John's (18-10)	Saturday at Winston-Salem
7 - Eleven	
Thurs. at Winston-Salem, N.C.	
Texas Tech (18-11)	
Louise Tournaud School of Dance	
Arkansas (20-8)	Saturday at Winston-Salem
Mac's Drugs	
Thurs. at Winston-Salem, N.C.	
Holy Cross (23-6)	
Grayling Big Boy Restaurant, Inc.	
Virginia (19-9)	Sunday at Syracuse
Spikes Keg O' Nails	
Friday at Syracuse	
Manhattan (23-6)	
Ole Dam Party Store	
Massachusetts (23-6)	Sunday at Syracuse
Golden Touch	
Friday at Syracuse	
Pennsylvania (22-4)	
Cartwright & Danawell	
New Mexico State (25-7)	Sunday at Syracuse
Chief Shoppenagon's	
Friday at Syracuse	
Nebraska (20-10)	
Clair's Standard Service	
Cincinnati (24-4)	Sunday at Syracuse
Schoer Motors, Inc.	
Friday at Syracuse	
Coppin State (22-7)	
Happi Days Campground & Diner	
Indiana (28-3)	Sunday at Indianapolis
Cornell Real Estate	
Friday at Indianapolis	
Wright State (20-4)	
Weatherly's Country House	
New Orleans (28-3)	Sunday at Indianapolis
Glen's Market	
Friday at Indianapolis	
Xavier, O. (23-5)	
Grayling Red Barn	
Oklahoma State (19-8)	Sunday at Indianapolis
Main Street Florals	
Friday at Indianapolis	
Marquette (20-7)	
Northern Litho Printing	
Louisville (28-8)	Sunday at Indianapolis
William Dean, O.D.	
Friday at Indianapolis	
Delaware (22-7)	
Kit Kaboodle & Co. Gifts	
California (19-8)	Saturday at Rosemont
Cornell Real Estate	
Thursday at Rosemont, Ill.	
Louisiana St. (22-10)	
Larry & Joan's Place	
Duke (23-7)	Saturday at Rosemont
Rialto Theatre	
Thursday at Rosemont, Ill.	
Southern Ill. (22-9)	
Dave Jansen-Sorenson Agency	
Brigham Young (24-8)	Saturday at Rosemont
J.J.'s Motor Mail	
So. Methodist (20-7)	
Rutter's Building Center	
Kansas (25-6)	Saturday at Rosemont
Schoer Motors, Inc.	
Thursday at Rosemont, Ill.	
Ball State (26-7)	
Cornell Insurance	



NEW FREDERIC POSTMASTER—Roger Stevens (L), is sworn into office as the new Frederic postmaster by Gaylord postmaster Ross Howell. Stevens' wife, Deborah, holds the Bible for her husband.

Stevens named new Frederic postmaster

By Terry Wright

On March 9, Roger Stevens was installed as the new postmaster at the Frederic post office. Stevens was selected to fill the vacancy under phase one of the management restructuring program currently ongoing nationwide within the U.S. postal system.

He began his career in Kalamazoo in 1978, as a custodian, where he was promoted to supervisor of maintenance. Later he was transferred to Gaylord as a supervisor of field maintenance. There he oversaw maintenance activities in all the post offices in northern Michigan.

Stevens served in the U.S. Marine Corps and is a combat veteran of the Vietnam war. Currently he lives

adjacent to the Frederic postal delivery area with his wife, Deborah, and his four daughters, Amber, Jamie, Rachel, and Tracey.

The installation ceremony was performed by Gaylord Postmaster Ross Howell. Stevens, with his left hand on a Bible held by his wife, swore to "faithfully uphold the constitution of the United States."

A host of dignitaries from both Frederic, and area post offices, were on hand to welcome Stevens and his family. He stated that, "I am looking forward to my new assignment and meeting and working with the members of the Frederic community."

Mt. Hope installs new pastor

Mt. Hope Lutheran Church of Grayling will be installing a new pastor, Reverend Paul Michael Boerger, at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, March 21. The public is invited to the installation service and to a dinner in the fellowship hall immediately following.

Paul Boerger was born on March 7, 1952, the son of the Reverend and Mrs. Charles Boerger in Cheboygan. After his family moved to Northville, Boerger was graduated from Northville High School in 1970. He was graduated from Concordia Lutheran Junior College in Ann Arbor in 1972 and from Concordia Senior College in Fort Wayne, Indiana, with a bachelor of arts degree in 1974.

Boerger received a master of divinity degree in 1979 at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Missouri. He served

this year of vicarage at Trinity Lutheran Church in Denver, Colorado, during the 1978-79 school year.

Boerger and Barbara Smith were joined in marriage on August 3, 1974. They have three sons, Michael Robert, 11, Jonathan Charles, 9, and Timothy Frederic, 4.

Boerger has served congregations in Alberta, Canada, St. James Lutheran Church in Whitecourt, Trinity Lutheran Church in Rochford Bridge, and St. Luke Lutheran Church in Nunica.

The Grayling Mt. Hope Lutheran Church is located on 905 I-75 Business Loop North or Old U.S. 27 across from the county fairgrounds.

Visit the scenic Grayling Millpond

GHS Players have all the right ingredients except big crowd for successful performance

By Nancy Lemmen

The Grayling High School Players had all the right ingredients—but one—for a successful performance of *The Importance of Being Earnest* by Oscar Wilde on last Friday evening.

The actors were convincing, the costumes were excellent, the make-up was professional and the stage set was creative. Only size of the audience was disappointing—with about 100 people in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium, which seats four times that number.

Director David Glicker, an English instructor at GHS, said he also was disappointed in the small size of the audience.

"The Friday night performance I'd give an A+," said Glicker. "The kids performed so well, they definitely deserved a bigger crowd."

Saturday evening's crowd was slightly larger, with about 125 in the audience, he said.

Too bad. This was one of the two productions presented annually by the theatre department, and—as Glicker implied—the cast deserved better attendance. Furthermore, it is unfortunate that the community does not make a better showing—both to support the young cast and crew and also because high school productions are such fun to watch.

The fun, of course, comes mainly from watching kids play characters very different from themselves on stage; and one's good time is elevated when the cast rises above its young collective age to reach an outstanding—if not professional—level of performance. And—given the audience's response following the Friday evening performance—the actors did just that.

"I was really pleased with everybody's performance," added Glicker. "I realize you can't get everything perfect with a high school performance, but I think they came really close."

The cast—mostly students with previous stage experience—did a

lovely job with this Victorian comedy, portraying late 19th century high society buffoons whom Wilde was taking his pokes at for their snobby airs and vacuous thinking.

"Wilde was having a slashing good time tearing apart the British social elite," said Glicker.

Senior Yolanda Rosi, as Lady Bracknell, gave a virtuoso performance in her final role on the GHS stage. With both the slowed speech of an elderly woman and the clipped dialect of an upper class Brit, she stole every scene she appeared in.

Junior Shawn Hubbard, as the aged and deaf butler Merriman, also elicited unending laughs from the audience every time he shuffled onto the stage. Hubbard, in his old age make-up—a latex mask fashioned from a full face cast and a wig created by Dan Chozick—was virtually unrecognizable unless one consulted the program.

Sophomores Nat Rosi (John Worthing) and Eric Shepherd (Algernon Moncrieff) showed that they are rapidly developing into a pair of excellent comic actors—Rosi as the seemingly innocent victim who appears astounded when his own mischievous manipulations lead him into hot water and Shepherd as the goofball sidekick who schlumps and mugs around the stage, screwing up his face like a latter day Marx Brother.

Sophomore Jeff Taylor, as the

Reverend Canon Chausable, once again demonstrated that—with his excellent use of facial expressions and physical humor—he can milk the most humor out of any role he is assigned.

Senior Melyssa Miller (Gwendolen Fairfax) and freshman Sarah Amman (Cecily Cardew) were lovely and funny as a pair of seemingly proper, shallow young women who accidentally discover they are both engaged to an Ernest Worthing.

Most of the plot, in fact, revolves around the fact that Gwendolen and Cecily have decided they will marry only men by the name of Ernest. John and Algernon both assume that alias in their efforts to woo the two. Of course, their ruses are discovered and the engagements are terminated, leading to the double meaning and moral lesson of the title—the importance of being Ernest/earnest.

Junior Katey DeVries was appropriately prim and proper as Miss Prism, the schoolmarmish governess who conceals a secret upon which the entire story turns and which is revealed in the play's final scene.

Sophomore Jacob Lepsy, in the role of Lane, a butler, brought laughs with his ability to convey the obvious disdain the working class must have felt for their employers.

Sophomore Michael Amman served as assistant director to Glicker.

Other crew members included sophomore Aimee Voight, stage manager; freshman Erika Hinkle, costume master; sophomore Mandy Duvall, prop master; and sophomores Jeff Taylor and Bryan Bearss, publicity.

Set crew members were Voight, Lepsy, Amman, sophomores Tom Mason, Tom Balmes, David L-Bulley and senior Doug Wendling.

The professional and convincing make-up was done by Dan Chozick with assistance from Debbie Chozick. The three sets—an interior of a flat, an interior of a manor house and an exterior garden—were designed and fabricated by Surreal Impressions, a company created from Kym Inabinet's GHS Exploring Art and Design Careers class.

Members of Surreal Impressions include Wendling (set production manager), L-Bulley, Hubbard, Voight, Shepherd, DeVries, junior Jamie Barnes, junior Charlie Lawson, freshman Dustin Parks, freshman Billie Joe Williams, junior Jaime Vendeville, sophomore Renee Argue, freshman Tina Garcia, sophomore Corrina Pelton, freshman Tabitha Mowrey and sophomore Vickie Griesemer.

The play program was designed by Surreal Impressions member L-Bulley. Set pieces, loaned by the Comfort Center, and rented period costumes added to the production's authenticity.



THE SECRET REVEALED--In a climactic moment of *The Importance of Being Earnest*, Miss Prism (junior Katey Deries) (center) reveals to Algernon (sophomore Eric Shepherd), Cecily (freshman Sarah Amman), John Worthing (sophomore Nat Rosi) and Rev. Chausable (sophomore Jeff Taylor) that it was she who left the baby John at the Victoria Railway Station 28 years before. The Oscar Wilde comedy was presented by the GHS Players last weekend. (Bryan Bearss Photo)



GHS PLAY CAST--(front) Yolanda Rosi, Sarah Amman, Melyssa Miller, Katey Devries; (back) Jeff Taylor, Jacob Lepsy, Director David Glicker, Nat Rosi, Shawn Hubbard, Eric Shepherd. (Nancy Lemmen Photo)

Reverend Boerger

No smoking ban affects county

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courthouse, has been taking his smoke breaks outdoors since the first policy was implemented. Nothing will change for him, but he was dissatisfied with the new ordinance. "There could have been a better approach. There could have been a program to help smokers cut down."

Roscommon and Otsego counties both have similar clean air ordinances. Roscommon County provides a designated smoking area in their courthouse. Otsego County has a smoking room set aside for employees only in their courthouse.

county affiliated buildings already have no smoking policies, but some don't. Others provide designated smoking areas which, if affected, will have to be closed down.

County Equalization Director Bill Borchers, who has an office in the

County's solid waste plan

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dispose of waste at the Environmental Services landfill in Maple Forest Township of Crawford County. The counties to be added include, Alger, Benzie, Chippewa, Luce, Manistee, Missaukee, Otsego, Schoolcraft, and Wexford.

NEMCOG officials stated that this

is a very important meeting and a good attendance is necessary. Chairman Dennis Long of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners stated that, "Crawford County will be well represented at the meeting. Commissioner Bill Coy, who is the county environmental czar will be there, and probably other commissioners as well."

Fox Run sets April 23 as official opening day

Fox Run Country Club has scheduled April 23rd as its official opening day for the 1993 summer season. Those interested in joining a league as a new member should contact the following persons: Tuesday couple's league, Shirley Furstenau,

275-4381; Wednesday men's league, Jeff Nester, 275-5105; Thursday lady's league, Sherry Sullivan, 275-4191.

The pro shop at Fox Run may be contacted at 348-4343 for further information after April first.

CRAWFORD COUNTY SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING AND DISCUSSION OF THE TOWNSHIP BUDGET

Notice is hereby given that the next Annual Township Meeting of the Electors of the Township of South Branch County of Crawford, State of Michigan Will be held at the Township Hall, 5245 M-18, beginning at 9:00 a.m. Saturday, March 27, 1993

At such time in addition to other regular business and in accordance with the law, a budget covering proposed expenditures and estimated revenues of the Township will be submitted for consideration. Copies of the budget are available for inspection at the office of the Township Clerk.

This will be a General Fund Budget Hearing and a Hearing for the purpose of determining the millage rate for fiscal year 1993-94 for operation of the Fire and Ambulance Departments, P.A. 33 of 1951.

SPECIAL MEETING

A Special Meeting of the South Branch Township Board will be held following the Annual Meeting on March 27, 1993, at the Township Hall, 5245 M-18, for the purpose of adoption of the 1993-94 Budgets.

Mary Mollon, Clerk

Features

Your Horoscope

Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: March 21-27

- ARIES**
Mar. 21-Apr. 19 Time alone is just what you need. You don't have to go away to get away; stay home for a while.
- TAURUS**
Apr. 20-May 20 Your intuition is on target. Trust your instincts. Don't be hoodwinked into doing something you don't want to do.
- GEMINI**
May 21-June 20 Be objective about yourself. Are you as comfortable at work and at home as you would like to be? Think about it.
- CANCER**
June 21-July 22 You are apt to encounter an obstacle during an important move. You can overcome it with a little know-how.
- LEO**
July 23-Aug. 22 Your education should be of primary importance. Nothing will be gained by standing still.
- VIRGO**
Aug. 23-Sept. 22 Travel plans may have to be put on hold in order to deal with crisis at home. There will be another time to dance.
- LIBRA**
Sept. 23-Oct. 22 Don't be put off by the popularity of another. It may be not be beneficial now, but it could come in handy later on.
- SCORPIO**
Oct. 23-Nov. 21 A truth has been revealed. Your suspicions were correct. Don't gloat; be sympathetic.
- SAGITTARIUS**
Nov. 22-Dec. 21 Troubleshooting may be your forte but there are other duties at which you can excel. Don't limit the possibilities.
- CAPRICORN**
Dec. 22-Jan. 19 You can help a loved one find the answer to a recurring question. The solution may also apply to you.
- AQUARIUS**
Jan. 20-Feb. 18 Your maternal instincts may be put to the test. Patience is the virtue that will help you the most.
- PISCES**
Feb. 19-Mar. 20 Give credit where it is due. You would not be where you are now without the support of those around you.

Verse or Worse

By Joe Murphy

We Remember

Voices long stilled, speak once again
Bodies long in the grave, rise to run and play
As in my mind I turn time back in memory
To a beautiful childhood springtime day

It had been a long cold winter
Now at long last the ground was bare
The warm air and sun light was calling
To all the children sitting there

It was pure torture to sit in that classroom
As springtime sang its siren song
And though we tried to work on our lessons
It seemed every answer was wrong

Our teacher was the understanding kind
Or perhaps she was remembering her own childhood years
For when she said, "Let's go for a walk this afternoon"
The room was filled with cheers

We took a walk down to the river in golden sunshine
Sat there talking and laughing on its banks
For our wonderful, understanding teacher
Each of us were giving thanks

I remember each of those happy smiling faces
And all the joy we shared that day
It's a beautiful way to remember
Those schoolmates who have passed away

Teacher, thank you for being understanding
And for all those wonderful memories you made
Is it any wonder we think of you with love
Whenever we think of our teacher Ruth Caldwell

Pet Care Tip

As with people, the aging process is gradual in cats and dogs, says the National Humane Education Society. While it is influenced by factors such as metabolism and genetics, it is possible to have a positive influence on your pet's aging and longevity, particularly if you get an early start.

The Avalanche

Your hometown newspaper



BOOMER IS LOOKING FOR A NEW HOME—Boomer is a genuine, original American Mutt. He loves children and is completely house-broken. He would love to move into a nice cozy home with you and give you lots of love. Please call the animal shelter today at 348-4117.

A Look At Our Past from the pages of the Avalanche

23 years ago March 19, 1970

With the demolition of the Crawford County Court House and jail buildings, an era of nearly 70 years has ended.

The buildings, erected in 1901 on Michigan Avenue, were replaced by the new county building constructed at the end of Michigan Avenue.

All county offices, judicial department, sheriff's department, living quarters and jail are under one roof in the new 25,400 sq. ft. building.

The Grayling State Bank purchased the property and buildings from the county in July of 1969, for the purpose of constructing a new bank on the site.

James Drury, who plays the title role in the TV show, "The Virginian" was a Grayling visitor Wednesday of this week.

He was enroute to the 12th Annual American Indoor Archery tournament that is being held at Cobo Hall in Detroit this weekend.

While here, he toured the Bear Archery plant and visited with the employees.

Wednesday night Bunco met last week at the home of Alice Galvani. Mary Denewitt held high score with Eleanor McIsaac holding second. The door prize was won by Jerri Golnick and Bonnie Kucharek won low.

Make a date, March 26, 1970, in the Pioneer Room, Chief Shoppenagons Motor Hotel. The famous Ink Spots will be performing from 9 to 12 midnight. There is a \$3 per person cover charge.

Fred Allen was home from his base at Norfolk, Va. for the past weekend. He left on the 17th for a five month cruise in the Mediterranean Sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael McNamara of Grayling, are the proud parents of a son born on March 16 and weighing 5 lbs., 7 1/2 ozs.

Laurie Scheer spent the weekend with her sister, Vicki, on campus at Central for little sister weekend. Brad Scheer spent the weekend in Flint visiting his friend, Paul Ross.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph on Sunday of last week were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Huntington of Eaton Rapids, who came up to celebrate Mr. Huntington's birthday; also Mr. and Mrs. Clair Huntington and son, Jeoff, of Lansing.

March 14 marked the date of the Junior Solo and Ensemble contest in district II for band students, held at Gaylord High School.

The following students attended: those receiving No 1 ratings; Holly Knibbs, Barbara Minor, Bonnie Kequom, Rosemary Jackson, Susie Kersch, Mary Elizabeth McNamara,

Donna St. Germain, Todd Mead. Kevin Zimmerman received a II and Tina Romans and Nancy Kolka a III.

Fred Bear, internationally known sportsman from Grayling, was named the new Trout King. He will reign over Kalkaska's 34th annual National Trout Festival, April 24-26.

46 years ago March 20, 1947

The Grayling Chamber of Commerce unanimously passed a resolution calling for the inclusion of Crawford County in House Bill 158 which is being sponsored by Representative Emil Peltz. The bill as it now stands would open Gogebic, Oscoda, Montmorency and Roscommon counties to bow and arrow hunters from October 1 until November 10 for deer of either sex.

Alva L. Hull is the new superintendent of the Crawford County Road Commission who started here Monday morning, as the past superintendent, James Richardson began his duties at West Branch for the Ogemaw County Road Commission.

Miss Beatrice Elizabeth Newberry, daughter of Elder and Mrs. Roy Newberry of Frederic, spoke her marriage vows with Elder Merle Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Howard of Oklahoma City, Okla., at the Re-Organized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Saturday, March 15. The Church was prettily decorated with baskets of white carnations, white snapdragons, ferns and cedar boughs.

About 32 friends of Miss Beatrice Newberry had a bridal shower on her last Wednesday night.

Robert Leng of Ashtabula, Ohio, is visiting at the Wm. Lengs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Feldhauser (Dorothy Jane McGillis) of Grayling are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parker and daughter, Glenna of Lansing accompanied by Mrs. Marjorie Doroh left Saturday for Tucson, Arizona, to visit another daughter of the Parkers, Mrs. Roy Hessicks and husband. The Parkers expect to make their home in Grayling when they return.

Mrs. Harry Williams returned to her home near Brown City, Saturday, after spending two months with her son and family, the Frank Bonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cornell and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cliff entertained the Saturday Bridge Club for their regular pot-luck dinner Sunday, at the Cornell residence. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred (Bud) Sorenson held high score at bridge. Mrs. Oscar Hanson and Mrs. Ella Wilcox were guests.

Mrs. George Hilton entertained 15 guests from 4 until 8 o'clock in honor of Miss Nancy Hilton's tenth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin of Lansing spent the weekend in Grayling visiting their respective families.

Mrs. James Reynolds had a pleasant surprise Thursday afternoon, March 6, when her grandson, Robert C. Smock, and Myrton Burrows called her from Oakland, Calif. Bob and Myrton met on a street in Oakland. Bob is with the Navy, and Myrton is visiting relatives.

Mrs. Larry Frymire accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacNeven home from East Lansing on Thursday and Mr. Frymire came up for the weekend.

Mrs. Harold Rasmussen entertained her bridge club last Wednesday. Mrs. Carl Nielsen carried away high honors and Mrs. Leo Jorgenson second high. Mrs. Arthur May was a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Babbitt and son, Howard, spent the weekend in Flint with their son, Arnold and family, and visited in Bay City, with Mrs. Frank Barber in Roscommon, enroute home.

Robert Smock enjoyed a six-day leave with his parents, the Liland Smocks. He had just finished Yeoman School in San Diego and expects to go to China.

Ann Hanson of Flint, spent the weekend visiting her sister, Mrs. Melvin Marshall, and other relatives and friends.

Dr. Bernard Godfrey was pleasantly surprised on his birthday, March 17, when several friends attended a dinner party given in his honor, given by Mrs. Bernard Maurer.

AuSable Extension Group met at the home of Mrs. Herbert Stephan, March 6, with Mrs. Alva Stephan as co-hostess. A lesson on pressure cooker canning and ironing a shirt was given.

Mrs. Bert Norris has returned home from her vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson announce the arrival of a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, born March 13 at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Feldhauser of Pontiac spent the weekend with the Robert Feldhausers.

Mrs. Burton McWilliams visited the Wm. Bighams on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith called on the Charles Papenfus family at Roscommon Sunday.

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Emil Giegling has purchased the Robert Robin home on the corner of Ottawa and Maple St.

There will be a special hat showing

Friday and Saturday of the new combination and patterns for bobbed hair. Hat Shoppe.

Miss Marge Woods, who has been employed at the Michigan Central repair office as stenographer, left Saturday for Bay City to accept a similar position.

Miss Helen Pratt and Raymond Beck were united in marriage at the F.M. Church Tuesday evening amid a number of friends. Marlin Maxwell performed the ceremony. The bride was formerly a Lewiston girl.

Ernest Bissonette was surprised on his 21st birthday when fourteen of his friends came to his home Monday evening.

Harry Gregory of East Jordan arrived in Grayling Saturday to accept the position of pharmacist at the Lewis Drug Store, taking the place of Howard Granger who was taken ill while in New Orleans and will not be able to return to work for several months.

There is a demand right now in Grayling for modern homes. Even people of moderate means want the comfort of such homes and are entitled to them. This taking a bath in a wash tub is passe, just the same as oil lamps, mussy heating stoves, outdoor toilets, etc. Landlords should put their property in fit shape. Tenants are willing to pay a fair price for homes that have the necessary comforts.

Wilhelm Nelson, son of Wilhelm Nelson, Sr., was united in marriage to Miss Dagmar Jensen at the Danish Lutheran Church, Tuesday evening, by Rev. Kjolhede. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson attended the young couple. Following the ceremony the wedding party went to the home of the groom where a delicious wedding supper was served, just relatives being guests. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson will operate the Tony Nelson farm, formerly the Burton farm, expecting to move onto same soon.

Z. Alvin Goff of Lovells purchased one of the Jennie Freeland estate houses Wednesday. He and his family will move in just as soon as the present occupants, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson can vacate it. Mr. Goff is the owner of the Lovells Fox Ranch located on Big Creek, where he has a large stock of thoroughbred silver foxes and other valuable fur-bearing animals.

Billy Miller fell while playing at the school gymnasium this morning and had the misfortune to break his arm at the wrist. He is the son of Mrs. Carl Whipple.

Wedding, Anniversary, or Birth Announcements Available At the Avalanche

Weekend Crossword

ACROSS

1. Prevail
4. Stick
8. Obstruction
11. Metric measure
12. Volcanic material
13. N. A. Lake
15. Leaks
17. Not as much
18. Juan
19. Echoes
21. Small isle
24. Tell on
25. Eroded
26. Relative
28. Citrus fruit
32. Angeles
33. Summit
35. Chem. suffix
36. Surprise victory
39. Saul's grandfather
41. Radio Corp. of Am., init.
42. King Cole
44. Spicier
46. Athletic event
50. Charged particle
51. Record
52. Road foundations
56. Always
57. Pleasing
58. King, Fr.
59. Printer's measure, pl.
60. Vehicle on runners
61. Egypt. god of evil

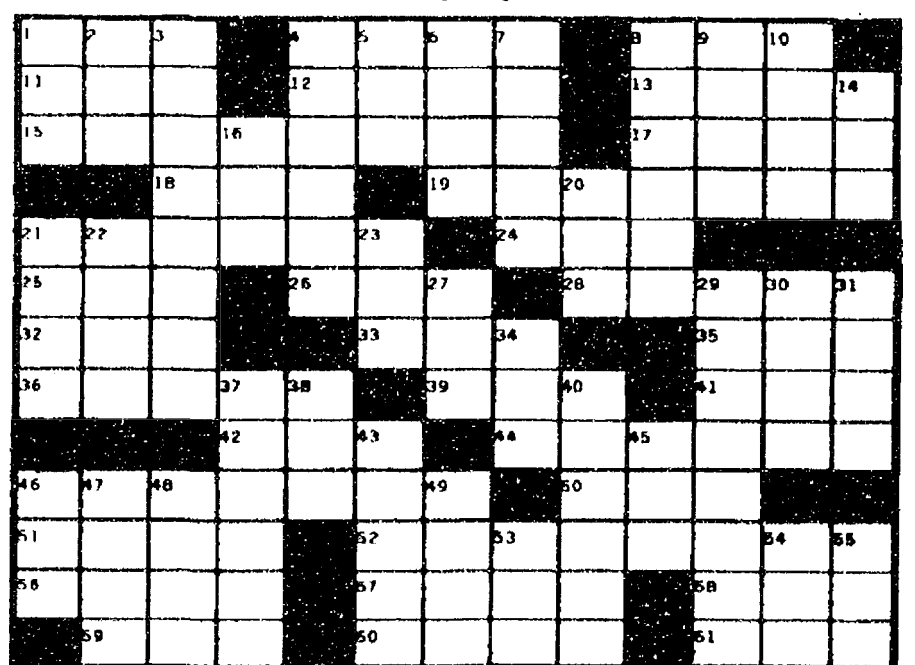
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DOWN

1. Existed
2. Anger
3. Unnecessary
4. Slopes
5. Child's game
6. State
7. Lower
8. Eliminate
9. Space
10. Moisture
14. S-shaped worm
16. Am. author
20. Buddy
21. Egypt. heaven
22. Cease
27. Drunkard
27. Not, prefix
29. Sailors
30. One time
31. Close
34. By way of
37. Goes into
38. Faucet
40. Invaded
43. Rotates
45. Cereal spike
46. Female saint, abbr.
47. Possess
48. Candid
49. Labor
53. Card
54. Female deer
55. Pose



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The Bible Speaks

From The
Calvary Baptist Church

Family Fears

As we entered World War II, President Franklin Roosevelt told us, "The only thing we have to fear is fear itself." He stated as one goal of that war, "freedom from fear... anywhere in the world." Following the bombing of the World Trade Center in New York City a few days ago, President Clinton reminded us of the "right" of every American to feel safe. After over fifty years of government efforts to make the world a place for safety and freedom, Americans appear for the first time to be victims of international terrorism here at home. We cannot trust government to protect us from fear!

Wealth and modern technology offer American families the latest in protection. Because of our constitutional right to keep and bear arms no generation has ever had access to better weapons for family defense. There is mace for mom's purse as advertised with the catchy slogan: "Mace, just in case." We install new burglar bars and alarms for our cars

and homes. We are protected by metal detectors, coded identification cards, security police, and classes in personal defense. Yet, armed and trained police officers are being murdered in record numbers. We cannot trust technology to protect us from fear!

As 50,000 workers inched their way down the darkened, smoke-filled stairs of the World Trade Center, American dads and moms were feeling international terrorism. No gun control laws or other abridgement of personal freedoms in liberal New York had prevented it. The liberal media will lump it together with the guns and hate of religious wackos in Waco. Pass more laws? Spend more money? End more personal freedoms? Will we trust humanistic totalitarianism to save us from fear?

For twenty years we have shared God's promise that violence will increase at the end of this age just before the return of Jesus Christ. "But as the days of Noe [were], so shall also be the coming of the Son of man be." (Mat. 24:37). How were the days of Noah? "And God said unto Noah, The

end of all flesh is come before me; for the earth is filled with violence through them; and, behold, I will destroy them with the earth." (Gen. 6:13).

Our answer to family fears is faith in God. "The fear of man bringeth a snare; but whoso putteth his trust in the LORD shall be safe." (Pro. 29:25) "Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter: Fear God, and keep his commandments: for this [is] the whole [duty] of man." (Ecc. 12:13). "And fear not them which kill the body, but are not able to kill the soul: but rather fear him which is able to destroy both soul and body in hell." (Mat. 10:28). Families who fear God, need fear no one or nothing else.

Pastor "B"

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New state law fights stalkers

In December, 1992, the Michigan State Legislature passed the toughest anti-stalking legislation in the country, making stalking a crime.

The police now have the court's power to prosecute a stalker even if he or she has not physically injured the victim.

Stalking is:

*Repeated or continuing harassment of another person, causing them to feel terrorized, frightened, intimidated, or threatened.

*Making repeated contact with a person without their consent, including following, approaching, confronting or appearing within sight of them; showing up at their work or home; calling them or sending them mail.

*Contacting the person two or more separate times with the same purpose. If you're being stalked:

*Contact the police so they can begin investigating and compiling evidence.

*Keep a record of the dates and times at which you were called, followed or confronted, save any letter, gifts, or other items the person sends to you.

*Point out the stalker to anyone


who could serve as a witness, such as store security guards, and get another person on the line if the stalker calls.

*Alert neighbors and co-workers and give them a description of the stalker.

*Refuse to stay in contact with the stalker, even if they start acting "nice," and avoid encouraging them in any way.

*Get an unlisted phone number, change your locks, and if necessary, seek shelter such as River House Shelter, 517-348-8972 or 3169.

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"A light unto my path"

"The Lord on high is mightier than the noise of many waters, yea, than the mighty waves of the sea" (Ps. 93:4).

The sea is a treacherous beauty, the glistening waters disguising all manner of danger. It may be difficult to gauge the proximity of a ship to the shore, where a sailor might encounter sandbars and rocks spelling disaster. The lighthouse is a bright beacon... a signal in the sea.

God's house is a beacon... a signal in a world which, despite its beauty, can also be deceivingly treacherous to those who live in the twilight of temptation without God's guiding light.

This Sabbath, search for a steeple, and enter the sanctuary therein. You will learn of God's loving care as you study His Holy word. "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path" (Ps. 119:105). God will guide you safely to shore.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Hosea 6-7	Psalm 12	Jeremiah 31:23-40	Jeremiah 31:23-40	Hebrews 4:1-13	Hebrews 8:1-13	Hebrews 9:1-28

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Rev. Jim Wright
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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 p.m.

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Minister H.A. Hennig
4 Mi. East of Frederic
County Rd. 612
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship & Praise 11 a.m.
Sun. Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer, Bible Study 6 p.m.

Christian Science Society
209 First St. - Suite 103 - Gaylord
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
April through October
2nd Wednesday 8 p.m.

Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church
Minister Dr. Dennis N. Paulson
400 Michigan Ave.
Church School 9:40-10:40 a.m.
Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11 a.m.
Bible Study (Wed.) 10 a.m.
Children's Choir (Wed.) 3:15 p.m.
Senior Choir (Thurs.) 7 p.m.

Seventh Day Adventist
Pastor David Stramel
Phone 348-2445
Services held Saturday at Camp AuSable in 1st building on the right off new entrance road.
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Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting Tues 7 p.m.

Grayling Assembly of God
Rev. Ron Voelker, Pastor
Old 27 North, 701 Grayling Rd.
Church - 348-8885
Parsonage 348-2588
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday - Family Night
Adult-Youth-Children Sessions 7 p.m.

Christian Science Society
Zone 11, 106 James St. - Houghton Lake
Sunday Ser. & Sunday School 11 a.m.
1st Wednesday (April-Oct.) 7:30 p.m.

Heritage Baptist
Pastor Jim Van Liere 348-7699
1841 Hartwick Pine Rd.
1/4 mile west of I-75
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.

St. John Evangelical Lutheran (ELCA)
Rev. Michael Kemper
710 Spruce St. - Phone 348-5224
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal (Tue.) 7 p.m.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Pastor Lacey Stephen, Jr.
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Church School 9:45 a.m.
Preaching 11 a.m.
Midweek Service Prayer 7 p.m.

Gaylord Christian Reformed
Rev. V. Schaap
415 Ohio North
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church
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702 Peninsular - 348-7657
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Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.
Weekday Mass
Tuesday 8 a.m.
Wednesday 10 a.m.
Thursday 8 a.m.
Friday 8 a.m.
Confession Saturday 4 p.m.

Calvary Assembly of God
Rev. Lawrence Cook
250 Lake St. - Roscommon - 275-5309
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Family Night 7 p.m.

Lovells Chapel
Pastor Gary Hopp
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Chapel Service 11 a.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Dr. Robert Barnett, Pastor
M-72 West
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Mid-Week Services
Prayer & Awana Club (Wed) 7 p.m.

Church of Christ
Gordon French Minister
Old US 27 at Skyline Rd.
348-8573
Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Communion & Preaching 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday
Mid-week Bible Study 7 p.m.

Bear Lake Christian
M-72 & East Bear Lake Rd.
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Sunday Service 10 a.m.

The Church of Christ with the Bible Message
Pastor Dohn E. Weaver
7662 Kelly Ave. - Frederic
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
Sunday School 7 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7 p.m.

Abundant Life Tabernacle
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Grayling, Mich.
Sunday Morning 10 a.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

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Pastor, David Moorman
Meeting at 501 Michigan Avenue
(517) 348-2557
Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

AuSable Valley Church of God
6330 Johnson - Frederic
Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Prayer Meeting (Wednesday) 7 p.m.

Mt. Hope Evangelical Lutheran - Missouri Synod
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Adult Bible School 10 a.m.

St. Francis' Episcopal
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Adult Choir Practice (Monday) 7 p.m.

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Detroit Lions to play benefit basketball game here

Members of the National Football League's Detroit Lions will take on the Grayling Vikings coaching staff in an exhibition basketball game 7 p.m.

Wednesday, March 31, at the Grayling High School gym.

At least six of the 17-man Detroit Lions off-season traveling basketball team will be here for the game. Playing on the team are the following Detroit Lions:

Bennie Blades, 6'1", 225 pounds, safety, 7th year pro.
Mike Cofer, 6'5", 248 pounds, linebacker, 11th year.
Willie Green, 6'2", 180 pounds, wide receiver, 4th year.

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Herman Moore, 6'4", 205 pounds, wide receiver, 3rd year.
Eddie Murray, 5'9", 180 pounds, kicker, 14th year.

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Mark Spindler, 6'3", 280 pounds, defensive tackle, 3rd year.
Reggie Barrett, 6'3", 205 pounds, wide receiver, 3rd year.
Scott Conover, 6'4", 280 pounds, offensive tackle, 3rd year.

Ken Dallafior, 6'4", 280 pounds, offensive guard, 10th year.
Mike Farr, 5'10", 190 pounds, wide receiver, 4th year.
Jack Linn, 6'5", 290 pounds, offensive guard, 3rd year.
Victor Jones, 6'2", 245 pounds, linebacker, 6th year.
Eric Lynch, 5'10", 220 pounds, safety, 2nd year.
Tracy Scroggins, 6'2", 240 pounds, linebacker, 3rd year.
Larry Tharpe, 6'4", 295 pounds, offensive tackle.
Fans attending the basketball game

will have a chance to have obtain autographs from the Detroit Lions players in addition to winning autographed footballs.

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TOWN 25 NORTH RANGE 2 WEST				
Sec. No.	Description	Year	Amount	
	OF THE NORTH 8 RODS ALONG THE SEC. 10 FOR PARCELS 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 E 4 RODS, TH S 4 RODS TO P.O.B.	1990	74.02	
6560	002-018-001-010-00 THE HIGHLANDS - PARCEL #1 - 1.51 ACRES PART OF N 1/2 OF NE 1/4 SEC. 10, T25N R2W.	1990	132.21	
6561	002-019-003-140-00 PARCEL F - THE SW 1/4 OF THE SE 1/4 OF THE SW 1/4 OF THE NE 1/4 OF SEC. 10, T25N R2W. EASING 2.51 ACRES, AND SUBJECT TO THE 33-FT. ROADWAY EASEMENTS ALONG THE NORTH & WEST SIDES THEREOF AS SHOWN BY THE SURVEY OF RECORD.	1990	103.10	
6562	002-019-003-160-00 PARCEL G - THE SE 1/4 OF THE SE 1/4 OF THE SW 1/4 OF THE NE 1/4 OF SEC. 10, T25N R2W. EASING 2.51 ACRES, AND SUBJECT TO THE 33-FT. ROADWAY EASEMENTS ALONG THE NORTH & WEST SIDES THEREOF AS SHOWN BY THE SURVEY OF RECORD.	1990	103.10	
6563	002-020-011-060-00 PARCEL NO. 26 BEGINNING AT THE SW COR. OF SEC. 20, T25N, R2W, TH N 060.00 FT. TO S 89 DEG 21M 15S E 060.00 FT. TH N 0 DEG 15M 03S W 060.00 FT. TH N 89 DEG 20M 37S W TO THE P.O.B. BEING A PART OF THE SW 1/4 OF SEC. 20, T25N, R2W, SOUTH BRANCH TWP., CRAWFORD COUNTY, MI. AND CONTAINING 10.015 ACRES, 25.1 ACRES.	1990	73.07	
6564	002-022-007-080-00 COMM. AT THE W COR. OF THE SW 1/4 OF SEC. 26, T25N, R2W, TH N 0 DEG 12M W 1/2 ALG SEC. 25, T25N, R2W, TH N 0 DEG 12M W ALG SEC. 25, T25N, R2W, TH TO P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 12M W 580.0 FT. TH S 34 DEG 02M 21S E 190.0 FT. TO P.O.B. 101.0 FT. TH S 24 DEG 18M W 147.9 FT. TO THE P.O.B.	1990	475.49	
6565	002-025-011-110-00 PARCEL A BEING PART OF THE SW 1/4 OF OF THE SW 1/4 OF SEC. 25, T25N R2W, SOUTH BRANCH TWP. TO WNSH HINER COR. OF SEC. 25, T25N R2W, SEC. 25, AS: COMM. AT THE SW CORNER OF SAID SEC. 25, TH N 0 DEG 33M 03S W SAID SEC. 25, T25N, R2W, SEC. 25, T25N, W 1/2 OF THE SW CORNER OF SEC. 25, TH N 0 DEG 33M 03S W 139.0 FT. TH S 89 DEG 43ME, 233.0 FT. LINE, TH S 0 DEG 33M 03S E, 139.0 FT. TO THE P.O.B. 233.0 FT. TO THE P.O.B. AND CONTAINS 0.75 ACRES, THEREOF WESTERLY 33.0 FT. OF SAID TRACT IS SUBJECT TO THE PUBLIC ROADWAY EASEMENT, FURTHER SUBJECT TO THE RESTRICTIONS, RESERVATIONS AND EASEMENTS OF RECORD IF ANY.	1990	195.20	
6566	002-025-012-060-00 COMM AT THE SE COR. OF THE SE 1/4 OF SW 1/4 OF SEC. 25, T25N, R2W, TH N 1 22M 37S E 190.0 FT. TO THE SE COR. OF 100 FT. TO THE P.O.B.	1990	132.21	
6567	002-026-011-050-00 PARCEL C - BEING A PART OF THE SW 1/4 OF SW 1/4 OF SEC. 26, T25N R2W, SOUTH BRANCH TWP. CRAWFORD CO, MI. COMM AT THE SW COR. OF SAID SEC. 26, TH N 0 DEG 57 M 33 S E 330.0 FT. TO THE LINE 99.24 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT. TH S 89 DEG 55 MIN 53 SEC E 330.0 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT. TO THE P.O.B. CONTAINING 10.015 ACRES, 25.1 ACRES.	1990	120.57	
6568	002-026-011-070-00 PARCEL F - BEING A PART OF THE SW 1/4 OF SW 1/4 OF SEC. 26, T25N R2W, SOUTH BRANCH TWP. CRAWFORD CO, MI. COMM AT THE SW COR. OF SAID SEC. 26, TH N 0 DEG 33 M 03 S E 139.0 FT. TO THE LINE 33.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TH S 89 DEG 54 MIN 53 SEC E 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. CONTAINING 10.015 ACRES, 25.1 ACRES.	1990	341.70	
6569	002-026-011-090-00 PARCEL F - BEING A PART OF THE SW 1/4 OF SW 1/4 OF SEC. 26, T25N R2W, SOUTH BRANCH TWP. CRAWFORD CO, MI. COMM AT THE SW COR. OF SAID SEC. 26, TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE LINE 33.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TH S 89 DEG 54 MIN 53 SEC E 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. CONTAINING 10.015 ACRES, 25.1 ACRES.	1990	702.45	
6570	002-026-012-090-00 W 1/2 OF W 1/2 OF SEC. 26, T25N R2W, SOUTH BRANCH TWP. CRAWFORD CO, MI. COMM AT THE SW COR. OF SAID SEC. 26, TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE LINE 33.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TH S 89 DEG 54 MIN 53 SEC E 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 31 MIN W 332.29 FT. TO THE P.O.B. CONTAINING 10.015 ACRES, 25.1 ACRES.	1990	345.46	
6571	002-027-003-020-00 SW 1/4 OF NE 1/4 252-27-4 30 A SEC. 27, T25N R2W.	1990	1700.56	
6572	002-027-004-100-00 PARCEL A - BEING A PART OF THE SE 1/4 OF NE 1/4, TH N 10 RODS, W 24 RODS, S 10 RODS, E 24 RODS TO P25-27-4 40 A SEC. 27, T25N R2W 1.5 A.	1990	324.23	
6573	002-028-004-020-00 PARCEL A PART OF THE S 1/2 OF NE 1/4 OF SEC. 28, T25N R2W, SOUTH BRANCH TWP., CRAWFORD CO, MI. COMM AT THE E 1/4 COR. OF SAID SEC. 28, TH N 89 DEG 54 MIN 53 SEC E 332.29 FT. TO THE LINE 99.24 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT. TO THE LINE 1/8 IN. TH S 89 DEG 54 MIN 53 SEC E 332.29 FT. TO THE LINE 1/8 IN. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT. TO THE P.O.B. CONTAINING 2.51 A. ALSO SUBJECT TO & USE OF A 66 FT. RD. & UTILITY EASEMENT AS RECORDED IN LIBER 170 PAGES 120 & 121.	1990	114.74	
6574	002-028-004-090-00 PARCEL G - BEING A PART OF THE SE 1/4 OF NE 1/4 OF SEC. 28, T25N R2W, SOUTH BRANCH TWP., CRAWFORD CO, MI. COMM AT THE E 1/4 COR. OF SAID SEC. 28, TH N 89 DEG 54 MIN 53 SEC E 332.29 FT. TO THE LINE 99.24 FT. TO THE P.O.B. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT. TO THE LINE 1/8 IN. TH S 89 DEG 54 MIN 53 SEC E 332.29 FT. TO THE LINE 1/8 IN. TH N 0 DEG 30 MIN 49 SEC W 330.0 FT			
6575	002-028-016-090-00 PARCEL NO. 3, BEING A PART OF THE SE 1/4 OF THE SE 1/4 OF SEC. 28, T25N R2W, SOUTH BRANCH TWP., CRAWFORD CO, MI. COMM AT THE SE COR. OF SAID SEC. 28 AND SUBJECT TO THE 33-FT. ROADWAY EASEMENT, FURTHER SUBJECT TO THE RESTRICTIONS, RESERVATIONS AND EASEMENTS OF RECORD IF ANY.	1990	213.67	

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File No.	Description of Land	Tax Year	Sale Amount
BER-MAR WOODS NO 1			
064-161-000-040-00	BER MAR WOODS #1 LOT 15	1990	842 10
BER-MAR WOODS NO 2			
064-161-000-040-00	BER MAR WOODS NO #2 LOT #40	1990	755 49
DEERHEART VALLEY			
064-220-000-021-00	LOT 21 DEERHEART VALLEY	1990	103 10
HIAWATHA PARK			
064-340-000-059-00	HIAWATHA PARK LOTS 55-56-57-58 & 59	1990	428 95
INDIAN GLENS OF THE AUSABLE UNIT NUMBER ONE			
064-400-000-028-00	LOT 028 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	68 19
064-400-000-064-00	LOT 064 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	28 49
064-400-000-066-00	LOT 066 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	65 19
064-400-000-073-00	LOT 073 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	68 19
064-400-000-074-00	LOT 074 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	69 19
064-400-000-075-00	LOT 075 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	50 17
064-400-000-076-00	LOT 076 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	68 19
064-400-000-077-00	LOT 077 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	68 19
064-400-000-097-00	LOT 097 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	28 49
064-400-000-107-00	LOT 107 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	68 19
064-400-000-119-00	LOT 119 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	68 19
INDIAN GLENS OF THE AUSABLE UNIT NUMBER TWO			
064-400-000-136-00	LOT 136 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	68 19
064-400-000-145-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE LOT #145 AND THE N 1/2 OF LOT #144	1990	155 95
064-400-000-168-00	LOT 168 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	79 84
064-400-000-182-00	LOT 182 INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE	1990	68 19
INDIAN GLENS OF THE AUSABLE NO 6			
064-400-000-506-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #506	1990	120 57
064-400-000-514-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #514	1990	103 10
064-400-000-531-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #531	1990	108 95
064-400-000-569-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #569	1990	149 65
064-400-000-597-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #597	1990	245 59
064-400-000-599-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #599	1990	184 57
064-400-000-601-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #601	1990	364 04
064-400-000-677-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #677	1990	79 84
064-400-000-688-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #688	1990	108 95
064-400-000-690-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #690	1990	42 45
064-400-000-691-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #691	1990	42 48
064-400-000-754-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #754	1990	55 66
064-400-000-764-00	INDIAN GLENS OF THE AU SABLE UNIT #6 LOT #764	1990	62 24
JOH-LYN-DAN HILLS			
064-420-000-003-00	JOH-LYN-DAN HILLS LOT #3	1990	754 82
064-420-000-012-00	JOH-LYN-DAN HILLS LOT #12	1990	725 72
064-420-000-018-00	JOH-LYN-DAN HILLS LOT 18	1990	74 02
JONASSON SUBDIVISION NO 2			
064-440-000-023-00	JONASSON LOT 23	1990	184 63
064-440-000-031-00	JONASSON SUB. #2 - PART 31-B LOT #31 EXCEPT THE SOUTH 165 FT THEREOF AND DRIVE EASEMENTS ON THE NORTH AND EAST SIDES OF SAID	1990	644 26
064-440-000-039-00	JONASSON LOT 39	1990	79 84
LITTLE RICHARD ESTATES			
064-500-000-001-00	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES LOT #1	1990	754 82

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	PIONEER ACRES		
No	Description of Land	Tax Year	Sale Amount
	054-500-000-042-00	1990	10.00
	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES LOT #42		
	LIVINGSTONE ACRES		
	054-520-000-011-00	1990	229.75
	LOT # 11 LIVINGSTONE ACRES		
	054-520-000-012-00	1990	823.27
	LIVINGSTONE ACRES LOT 12		
	054-520-000-032-00	1990	247.90
	LIVINGSTONE ACRES LOT 32		
	MCNAMARAS VALLEY NO 2		
	054-541-000-061-00	1990	719.89
	S/2 OF LOT 31 MC NAMARA S VALLEY 2		
	054-541-000-063-00	1990	551.17
	LOT 49 OF MC NAMARA S VALLEY NO. 2		
	NORTHWEST VILLAGE NO 1		
	054-580-000-021-00	1990	97.28
	NORTHWEST VILLAGE LOT #21		
	054-580-000-022-00	1990	97.28
	NORTHWEST VILLAGE LOT 22		
	PETITTS TIMBERS		
	054-620-000-011-00	1990	403.50
	LOT 11 PETITTS TIMBERS		
	PIONEER ACRES		
	054-640-000-006-00	1990	289.29
	LOT 6 PIONEER ACRES		
	054-640-000-007-00	1990	202.04
	LOT 7 PIONEER ACRES		
	054-640-000-008-00	1990	50.54
	LOT 8 OF PIONEER ACRES SUBD		
	RED DOG NO 2		
	054-650-000-023-00	1990	294.13
	RED DOG SUB LOT #23		
	054-650-000-024-00	1990	1197.62
	LOT 24 OF RED DOG		
	RIVER FOREST		
	054-720-000-017-00	1990	1831.29
	RIVER FOREST SUB. LOTS 17 & 18		
	SILVER WOODS		
	054-750-000-013-00	1990	522.03
	SILVER WOODS SUB. LOT #13		
	SLEEPY HOLLOW		
	054-780-000-003-00	1990	56.54
	SLEEPY HOLLOW LOT 3		
	054-780-000-013-00	1990	504.62
	LOT 13 AND THE EAST 1/2 OF LOT 12		
	SLEEPY HOLLOW SUBDIVISION		
	054-780-000-018-00	1990	295.15
	LOT 18 OF SLEEPY HOLLOW SUB		
	054-780-000-028-00	1990	190.40
	LOTS 27 AND 28 OF SLEEPY HOLLOW		
	SUBDIVISION		
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCH UNIT NO 1		
	054-820-000-001-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 1		
	054-820-000-006-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 6		
	054-820-000-007-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 7		
	054-820-000-008-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 8		
	054-820-000-009-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 9		
	054-820-000-013-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 13		
	054-820-000-015-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 15		
	054-820-000-017-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 17		
	054-820-000-018-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 18		
	054-820-000-027-00	1990	30.78
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 27		
	054-820-000-029-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 29		
	054-820-000-030-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 30		
	054-820-000-032-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 32		
	054-820-000-043-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 43		
	054-820-000-044-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 44		
	054-820-000-045-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 45		
	054-820-000-046-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 46		
	054-820-000-047-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 47		
	054-820-000-048-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 48		
	054-820-000-051-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 51		
	054-820-000-054-00	1990	24.65
	SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 54		

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SOUTH BRANCH RANCH UNIT NO 1		
Description of Land	Tax Year	Base Amount
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 83	1990	24.05
064-820-000-084-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 84	1990	24.65
064-820-000-085-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 85	1990	24.65
064-820-000-088-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 86	1990	24.05
064-820-000-091-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 91	1990	24.65
064-820-000-093-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 93	1990	24.65
064-820-000-095-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 95	1990	24.65
064-820-000-097-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 97	1990	24.65
064-820-000-098-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 98	1990	24.65
064-820-000-099-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 99	1990	24.65
064-820-000-104-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 104	1990	17.13
064-820-000-105-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 105	1990	24.65
064-820-000-107-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO. 107	1990	30.78
SOUTH BRANCH RANCH UNIT NO 2		
064-820-000-119-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #119	1990	24.65
064-820-000-120-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #120	1990	24.65
064-820-000-121-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #121	1990	24.65
064-820-000-122-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #122	1990	24.65
064-820-000-123-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #123	1990	24.65
064-820-000-124-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #124	1990	24.65
064-820-000-125-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #125	1990	24.65
064-820-000-126-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #126	1990	24.65
064-820-000-127-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #127	1990	24.65
064-820-000-128-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #128	1990	24.65
064-820-000-129-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #129	1990	24.65
064-820-000-130-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #130	1990	24.65
064-820-000-131-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #131	1990	24.65
064-820-000-132-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #132	1990	24.65
064-820-000-133-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #133	1990	24.65
064-820-000-134-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #134	1990	24.65
064-820-000-135-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #135	1990	24.65
064-820-000-136-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #136	1990	24.65
064-820-000-137-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #137	1990	24.65
064-820-000-138-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #138	1990	24.65
064-820-000-139-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #139	1990	24.65
064-820-000-140-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #140	1990	24.65
064-820-000-141-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #141	1990	24.65
064-820-000-142-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #142	1990	24.65
064-820-000-143-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #143	1990	24.65
064-820-000-144-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #144	1990	24.65
064-820-000-145-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #145	1990	24.65
064-820-000-146-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #146	1990	24.65
064-820-000-147-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #147	1990	24.65
064-820-000-148-00		
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2 LOT #148	1990	24.65
064-820-000-149-00		

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TOWN 25 NORTH RANGE 1 WEST	
631	061-001-010-040-00 THE NW¼ OF THE NW¼ OF THE OF SEC. 1, T25N R1W. 10.00 AC PARCEL CD 1950 22
632	061-001-011-030-01 PARCEL #7. THAT CERTAIN PRAIRIE LAND WITHIN THE SW¼¼ OF SW¼¼ 1 T25N R1W SW¼ BRANCH CRAWFORD CO. MI. COMM AT THE CORNERS OF THE SW COR. OF SAID TRACT TH N 06E 21MIN 03SEC W FT ALONG THE SEC LINE S 07 10MIN 10 SEC E 1980 FT N 0 21MIN 00SEC W 418.0 FT TO P.O.B. 21MIN 00SEC W 07.0 FT TO 1/6 TH LINE S 87DEG 06MIN 30SE 466.72 FT ALONG THE S 1/8 LINE 21MIN 26SEC E 120.0 FT TO 22DEG 32MIN 49SEC E 120.1 FT 20DEG 30MIN 00SEC E 52.05 F P.O.B. SUBJECT TO AN EASEMENT TRAVEL OVER AND UPON THE E THEREOF. 6A 1950 30
633	061-001-011-100-00 ELY 8 RDS OF S LY 20 RDS OF W SW¼ SEC. 1, T25N R1W. 1 ACHE 1950 3
634	001-002-004-080-00 PARCEL #7. THE E½ OF THE SE½ THE NE¼ OF SEC. 2 T25N R1W EX THE N 87S FT. THEREOF. COMM AT THE COR. OF THE SW COR. OF TO SECTIONS 1 & 2 THENCE W 6 FT. TH S 36.60 FT TH E 049.59 FT. TO P.O.B. FT TO P.O.B. CONTAINING ACRES 1950 2
635	061-002-012-020-00 COMM AT SE COR. OF SW ¼¼, TH RDS. W 12 RDS. S 16 RDS. E 10 DI PO LESS HIGHWAY R.O.W. 225-1 1950 9
636	061-011-015-040-00 COMM 32 RDS E OF NW COR OF 1/4 OF SE ¼¼, TH E 12 RDS. RDS. W 12 RDS. N 20 RDS TO 11-5. 1 1950 21
637	061-011-015-115-00 COMM 40 RDS AND S 33 1/2 RDS SW COR OF SW ¼¼ OF SE ¼¼, TH RDS. N 14 1/2 RDS. W 24 RDS. 1/2 RDS TO POB 11-5. 1 1950 21
638	061-011-015-135-00 COMM 330 FT EAST & 810 FT N TH COR OF SW ¼¼ OF SE ¼¼ 11-11 N 150 FT TH S 20 FT TH S FT TH W 230 FT TO P.O.B. 79 A SE T25N R1W 251-11-15-21 1950 21

ALG ARC OF 245.50F RADIUS CURVE

N30D144M46SW, 246.40F;
N60D07M38SW, 246.40F;
N150D15W129.35SW, 246.40F;
ALG ARC OF 50.54F RADIUS CURVE
RIGHT, LONG CHORD BEARING
N45.93 W 129.35F TO POB.
N34D17M26SW 200.43F, TH NWLY 20F
ALG ARC OF 602.8F RADIUS CURVE
RIGHT, LONG CHORD BEARING
N24D48MW 200.07F, TH HN150D16MW
N150D16W129.35F, 246.40F;
LEAVING SD PLAT. BOUNDARY
N150D16W30SW 172F, TH N32D30SW 305F
574.10F, TH N03D34MW 210.17F;
N24D34M23SE 160.00F, TH
0417F, TH S88D48MW57E 119.72F;
S ALG E-SEC LINE 224.22F MWL TO
POB, TH S88D48MW57E 119.72F
TO POB. 66.17 ACRS R/W

853 062-007-008-040 1990 441
WEST 1/2 OF EAST 1/2 OF NE 1/4 OF
1/4, 10 ACRES SEC 7 T25N R2W
252-7-10

854 062-007-013-080-00 1990 448
PARCEL A-013 OF W/2 OF NE/4 SE
SEC 7, T25N R2W, COM AT E/COR SEC
7, TH N60D17W 172F, TH N88D17W
F TH S10 10 37M 660 FT TO POB;
CONT S 10 37M 132 FT, TH N88D17W
TH N10 37M 132 FT TO POB, TH
E 217 FT, TH S 10 37M 330 FT, TH
88D E 76 FT TO POB. 2.53 ACRES
SURVEY L-100 P-331-333, A, B, &
SURVEY L-150 P-331 1990 269

855 062-007-013-080-03 1990 269
PARCEL A-013 OF W/2 NE/4 SE/4
T25N R2W, COM AT E/COR SEC
7, TH N80D W ALG E & W/4 LINE, 559 F
TH S 10 37M 792 FT, TH N 88D 17W
TH S 10 37M 132 FT TO POB, TH
N88D 17W 132 FT, TH N 10 37M 52
TH S88D E 260 FT TO POB. 3.15 ACRES
SURVEY L-100 P-331 1990 184

856 062-007-016-040-00 1990 184
COMM AT NW COR OF SE/4 OF SE/4
SEC 16, TH RW, TH S 10 W/4 LINE
RDS, TH E 6 RDS, TH N 12 1/2 RDS, TH V
RDS TO THE P.-O. B 252-7-16 4

857 062-007-018-100-00 1990 50
COM AT A P18 100 RDS S OF NW
C/O OF W/2 OF E/2 OF SE/4, TH E 6 RDS
TH N 12 1/2 RDS, TH S 5 RDS, TH N
RDS TO POB.

858 062-007-018-100-00 1990 50
SE/4 OF SE/4 OF SEC 16, TH
COMMENCING AT THE SE CORNER
SEC, T47N25N, R2W, TH W 40 RDS,
TH N 4 RDS, TH S 4 RDS, TH S 4 RDS
TO THE PLACE OF BOUNDARY

PQB AND CONTAINS 2.91 ACRES OF
LAND SUBJECT TO THE COUNCIL BOARD

OVER THE EASTERLY 33.0 FT THEREOF
AS SHOWN ON THE NOTIFICATION
SURVEY, FURTHER SUBJECT TO ALL
RESTRICTIONS, RESERVATIONS AND
EASEMENTS OF RECORD, IF ANY.

876 062-029-010-150-00 1990 428.95
BEG 680.2 FT N & 334.2 FT W OF
COR OF NW/4 OF SW/4, TH N 204.2 F
TO SO BR OF AUSAIBLE RIVER, TH SW
LY 90.0 FT TO THE 100.0 FT
252-29-10-13 CONT THE E 60.7 F TO POB
3.0 S SEC 29 T25N R22W 252-29-10-13
1990 1138.80

877 062-029-010-150-00 1990
BEG 918.8 FT E OF SW COR OF NW/4
OF SW/4, TH N 82.4 F, TH W 69.8 F
TO THE 100.0 FT, TH S 89.0 F TO
TH W 390.7 F TO POB SEC 29 T25N
R2W 56.2 252-29-10-17
1990 196.20

878 062-031-011-020-00 1990
N 284FT E/2 OF E/2 OF SW/4 OF
SW/4 2.0 SEC 29 T25N R2W 252-29-11-
1990 350.10

879 062-029-015-020-00 1990
E 1/2 OF E 1/2 OF SW 1/4 OF SE 1/4
TO SEC 20 T25N R2W 252-29-15-1
1990 620.90

880 062-030-015-120-00 1990
THAT PART OF SW/4 OF SE 1/4 LYING
EAST OF COR OF AUSAIBLE RIVER 7.8
30 T25N R2W 252-30-15-5
1990 242.70

881 062-031-001-040-01 1990
PARCEL C-01 PARCEL OF NE/4 SEC 31, TH
R2W, COM AT NE COR SEC 31, TH
S0002M W/4 SEC 31, TH S0002M W/4
S0002M W/4 SEC 31, TH S0002M W/4
S0014ME, 100 FT, TH N89D46MW, 55.85 F
TO POINT OF BANK OF SO. BRANCH
AUSAIBLE, TH N20D42ME, ALG. S191
N20D42ME, 7.7 FT, TH S89D46MW, 55.85 F
TO POB. 1.91 ACRES. SURVEY L-191
P554
1990 271.80

882 062-031-001-080-00 1990
BEG 395 FT N OF SE COR NE/4 OF
NE/4, TH W TO SO BR OF NE/4 OF
NE/4, TH N/4 LY ALG. RIVER TO
605 FT N OF N SEC LINE, TH E TO
252-31-1-3 CONT SEC LINE, TH S 150 F
TO POB. 3.75 S SEC 31 T25N R2W
252-31-1-3
1990 1268.80

883 062-031-004-009-00 1990
THAT PART OF THE SE/4 OF THE NE/4
OF SEC 31, T25N R2W COMM. AT THE
E 1/4 COR. OF SAID SEC. 31, TH N
ALONG E SEC. LINE 400 FT. FOR P.O.B.
TO BE 16.9 FT. TO THE 100.0 FT
BR. RIVER TH N. ALONG RIVER 103 FT
TH E. 1081.55 FT. TO E SEC. LINE, TH
S 9 SEC. LINE 100 FT. TO POB. 2
ACRES
1990 230.10

WLY ALG CTRLN SD TRAIL RD APPROX

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5 004-503-000-002-00

0	004-500-000-010-00	1990	562.06	
7	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #10	68.10	1990
0	004-500-000-013-00	1992	12.13	
0	LITTLE RICHARDS ESTATES, LOTS 1 & 14.	560.24	1990	560.24
0	004-500-000-017-00	1990	560.24	
5	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #17	62.41	1990
0	004-500-000-018-00	1990	62.41	
0	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #18	62.41	1990
0	004-500-000-019-00	1990	62.41	
1	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #19	62.41	1990
0	004-500-000-020-00	1990	62.41	
1	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #20	62.41	1990
2	004-500-000-021-00	1990	62.41	
1	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #21	62.41	1990
0	004-500-000-022-00	1990	62.41	
3	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #22	62.41	1990
4	004-500-000-023-00	1990	62.41	
4	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #23	62.41	1990
0	004-500-000-024-00	1990	62.41	
0	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #24	62.41	1990
0	004-500-000-025-00	1990	62.41	
1	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #25	62.41	1990
7	004-500-000-026-00	1990	68.10	
0	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #26	68.10	1990
0	004-500-000-027-00	1990	68.10	
1	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #27	68.10	1990
0	004-500-000-029-00	1990	68.10	
0	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #29	68.10	1990
0	004-500-000-031-00	1990	591.58	
0	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #31	591.58	1990
1	004-500-000-032-00	1990	68.10	
1	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #32	68.10	1990
2	004-500-000-033-00	1990	62.41	
0	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #33	62.41	1990
0	004-500-000-034-00	1990	62.41	
3	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #34	62.41	1990
4	004-500-000-035-00	1990	62.41	
4	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #35	62.41	1990
0	004-500-000-036-00	1990	62.41	
5	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #36	62.41	1990
0	004-500-000-038-00	1990	74.02	
6	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #38	74.02	1990
7	004-500-000-041-00	1990	74.02	
7	LITTLE RICHARD S ESTATES	LOT #41	74.02	1990

1990	24.65
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SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 55	1990	24.85	1.00
054-820-000-056-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 56	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-057-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 57	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-058-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 58	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-059-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 59	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-060-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 60	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-061-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 61	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-062-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 62	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-063-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 63	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-064-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 64	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-065-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 65	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-066-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 66	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-071-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 71	1990	30.78	1.00
054-820-000-072-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 72	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-078-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 78	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-081-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 81	1990	24.65	1.00
054-820-000-082-00			
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #1 LOT NO 82	1990	24.65	1.00

SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES UNIT #2

064-820-000-150-00	1990	30.78
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #150		
064-820-000-151-00	1990	30.78
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #151		
064-820-000-152-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #152		
064-820-000-153-00	1990	30.78
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #153		
064-820-000-154-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #154		
064-820-000-155-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #155		
064-820-000-155-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #156		
064-820-000-157-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #157		
064-820-000-158-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #158		
064-820-000-159-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #159		
064-820-000-160-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #160		
064-820-000-161-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #161		
064-820-000-162-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #162		
064-820-000-163-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #163		
064-820-000-164-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #164		
064-820-000-165-00	1990	24.65
SOUTH BRANCH RANCHES	UNIT #2	
LOT #165		
	1990	24.65
Tax Sale		

VILLAGE OF GRAYLING ORIGINAL PLAT			
Sub No.	Description of Land	Tax Year	Sale Amount
	OF LOT 12 BLOCK 20 ORIGINAL PLAT		
1255	070-100-020-007-00 W 1/2 OF LOT 12, BLK 20, ORIGINAL PLAT. 40 FT ON NW AVE	1990	191.94
			2064.45
	AUSABLE TERRACE ADDITION TO GRAYLING		
1256	070-110-000-007-00 AUSABLE TERRACE LOT 7 ALSO CORNER AT SW COR. LOT 7. 100F UP RIVER 15F THENCE WLY APPROX 100F TO POB.	1990	521.98
1257	070-110-000-013-00 LOTS 13, 14, & 15 OF AUSABLE TERRACE	1990	1263.93
1258	070-110-000-018-00 LOT 18 & 19 AUSABLE TERRACE	1990	278.67
1259	070-110-001-001-00 CONVEYANCE INTERSECTION OF S. SIDE OF IN NHAM ST. & AUSABLE RIVER NE 80F SE 13.7F TO RIVERS UPSTREAM 203.7F TO P.O. B. NEAR AUSABLE TERRACE	1990	3641.12
	O M BARNER ADDITION		
1260	070-120-004-003-00 LOT 3 BLOCK 4 BARNES	1990	1032.61
1261	070-111-004-011-00 LOT 11, BLK. 4, BARNES.	1990	555.69
	MARTHA M BRINKS ADDITION		
1262	070-131-004-006-00 NE 1/4 OF LOT 5 EXCEPT S 35F ACCORDING TO PLAT THEREOF OF BLK 4 OF MARTHA M. BRINKS 2ND	1990	879.41
	070-131-004-015-02 NE 1/4 OF LOT 15, BLK. 4, MARTHA M. BRINKS.	1990	503.95
	MARTHA M BRINKS SECOND ADDITION		
1264	070-132-001-001-02 COMM. AT THE NE CORNER OF LOT 7 BLK 1 MARTHA BRINKS 2ND ADDITION THENCE NORTH 120 FT., THENCE EAST 120 FT. TO THE SOUTH 120 FT. THENCE WEST 132 FT. TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING.	1990	848.64
1265	070-132-001-001-04 N 1/2 OF NW 1/4 IN NE CORNER OF PARCEL A BLK. 1, MARTHA M. BRINKS 2ND	1990	833.29
1266	070-132-003-001-01 W 1/2 OF LOT 1 AND ALSO BEF VACATED ALLEY LYING ON WEST SIDE OF LOT 1 BLK 3 OF MARTHA M. BRINKS 2ND	1990	204.71
1267	070-132-004-006-00 LOTS 6 & 9, BLK. 4, BRINKS 2ND	1990	1162.62
1268	070-132-005-005-00 S 1/2 OF LOTS 5 & 6, BLK. 5 BRINKS 2ND	1990	943.31
1269	070-132-006-006-00 NE 1/4 BLOCK SIX MARTHA BRINKS SECOND ADD TO THE CITY OF GRAYLING	1990	763.94
1270	070-132-007-004-00 THE SLY 1/3 OF LOT 3 AND ENTIRE LOTS 4,5 AND 6 OF BLOCK 7 BRINKS 2ND TO THE CITY OF GRAYLING LYING IN LOT 2	1990	364.47
	GOODALES ADDITION		
1271	070-150-000-007-00 W 1/2 OF NW COR OF LOT 18 BLK 3 GOODALES. TH N 45 DEG 25 MEN EAST (ALG ALGER ST) 236 FT TO POB. TH N 45 DEG 25 MIN W 150 FT TO RIVER. BLK OF AU SABLE RIVER TH DWNSTR 147.95 FT. S 44 DEG 35 MEN E. 120 FT. TH S 45 DEG 25 MIN W 138.5 FT TO POB BEING A PART OF PARCEL C GOODALES ADD. TO CITY OF GRAYLING THE INTENT OF THIS DEED TO CONVEY TO THE CITY OF LANSING 15 FEET WIDE EXTENDING FROM ALGER ST. TO THE AUSABLE RIVER, ALL BEING A PART OF PARCEL SCSS OF GOODALES S ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF NW CITY OF GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT THEREOF.	1990	1223.28
	PLAT OF GRAYLING INDUSTRIAL PARK		
1272	070-160-000-008-00 LOT 8 OF GRAYLING INDUSTRIAL PARK	1990	741.19
1273	070-160-000-010-02 COMM AT NW COR OF LOT 10 INDUSTRIAL PARK, TH SOUTH 148.85 FT. TH S 80 DEG 15 MIN E 156.2 FT. NORTH 286.26 FT. THENCE WEST 150 FT. TO POB. AKA LOT 10 D-SURVEY 277 P 156.26	1990	111.68
	HADLEY'S AMENDED		
1274	070-181-002-002-00 LOT 2, BLK 2, HADLEY'S AMENDED	1990	807.27
1275	070-181-003-012-00 W 53 FT. OF LOT 11, & W 48 FT. OF LOT 12, BLK 3 HADLEY'S AMENDED	1990	1378.98
1276	070-181-003-009-00 LOTS 9 & 10, BLK. 8, HADLEY'S AMENDED	1990	763.94
1277	070-181-010-005-00 LOTS 5 BLK 10, HADLEY'S AMENDED	1990	1864.55
	HADLEY'S SECOND ADDITION		
1278	070-182-002-003-00 LOT 3, BLK 2, HADLEY'S SECOND.	1990	295.67
1279	070-182-002-006-00 LOTS 9 & 10, BLOCK 2 HADLEY'S SECOND	1990	1205.94
1280	070-182-002-011-00 LOTS 11 & 12, BLK 2 HADLEY'S SECOND	1990	740.98
1281	070-182-005-001-00 LOT 1, BLK 5, HADLEY'S 2ND.	1990	781.30
1282	070-182-007-006-00 FRI LOT 6, BLOCK 7 HADLEY'S SECOND FRI LOT 1 BLOCK 3 27 OFFICE S	1990	969.31
1283	070-182-009-002-00 SLY 1/2 OF LOTS 1 & 2, BLK 9, HADLEY'S 9 SECOND.	1990	560.63
1284	070-182-013-011-00 SW 1/4 OF LOTS 11 & 12 BLK 13, HADLEY'S 2ND.	1990	1552.57
	HADLEY'S THIRD ADDITION		
1285	070-183-001-001-00 SE 1/4 OF LOT 12, TH W 120 FT. TH S 60 FT. TH S 120 FT. TH N 60 FT. TO P.O.B. FORMER LOT 1 HADLEY'S 3RD ADD.	1990	1049.95
1286	070-183-002-007-00 COMM. AT THE SE COR. BLK 2, TH W 270 FT. TO P.O.B. TH S 126.2 FT. TH S 120F. TH S 90F TO P.O.B. FORMERLY LOT 7 & 1/2 OF S ALSO N 30 FT. TO VILAS VACATED IN HADLEY'S 3RD ADD.	1990	763.94
	MADSENS ADDITION		
1287	070-190-001-007-00 LOT 16 BLK 1 MADSEN ADD. USER 114 PAGE 312	1990	824.80
	ROFFEE'S ADDITION		
1288	070-200-015-011-00 LOTS 11 & 12, BLK 15, ROFFEE'S ADD.	1990	1144.20
1289	070-200-017-010-00 LOT 10 BLK 17, ROFFEE'S ADD.	1990	1023.95
1290	070-200-020-007-00 LOT 7, BLK 20, ROFFEE'S ADD.		
1291	070-200-004-003-00 LOT 3, BLK. 24, ROFFEE'S ADD.	1990	903.41
1292	070-200-027-010-00 LOT 10 BLK 27 ROFFEE'S ADD.	1990	1170.21
1293	070-200-029-004-00 NWLY 1/2 OF LOT 3 & LOT 4 BLK 29, ROFFEE'S ADD.	1990	1145.27
1294	070-200-029-006-00 LOT 6, BLOCK 29, ROFFEE'S ADDITION	1990	912.63
1295	070-200-031-006-00 PART OF LOTS 3, 4, AND 5, BLK 31, ROFFEE'S ADD DESCRIBED AS: BEG AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE SLY LINE OF MAPLE STREET WITH THE SLY LINE OF 175 BUSINESS LOOP, TH S 1 DEG 17 MIN 30 SEC W 140 FT. TO THE SLY LINE S 88 DEG 43 MIN E 74.4 FT TO THE LINE BETWEEN LOTS 4 AND 5, BLK 31, TH N 44 DEG 25 MIN E ON 80 LOT LINE 48.08 FT TO THE SLY LINE OF MAPLE STREET, TH N 45 DEG 40 MIN 30 SEC W ALG MAPLE STREET 140.75 FT TO THE P.O.B.	1990	1965.69
	SALLING HANSON AND CO'S ADDITION		
1296	070-210-002-007-00 LOT 7, BLK 2, SALLING HANSON CO.		
1297	070-210-002-011-00 N 1/2 OF LOT 2, ALL OF LOTS 11 & 12, BLK 2, SALLING HANSON CO ADD TO CITY OF GRAYLING	1990	607.98
			1363.33

COVERS TO

Legal Action

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made July 24, 1973, by Russell J. & Paye Owen, husband and wife, as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on July 24, 1975, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 146 of mortgages on pages 311-314;

On which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Twenty-two Thousand Five Hundred Forty-six and 63/100 Dollars (\$22,546.63) principal and Six Hundred Forty-six and 70/100 Dollars (\$646.70) interest;

no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby Given that on April 29, 1993, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the Front steps (east side) of Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit:

Lot #22, Block 2, KAREN WOODS SUBDIVISION, according to the Plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 44, Crawford County Records, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale, plus interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. For additional information, contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, 377 S. Mt. Tom Rd., Mio, MI, 48647, mortgagee. Dated: March 17, 1993

-18-25-1-8

Record of City Council Proceedings

Meeting held on the 22nd day of February 1993

Grayling, Michigan

Meeting called to order by Mayor Golinick at 7:30 p.m. Members present: Stevens, Schreiner, Golinick, Ruddy, Akers. Members absent: None. Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager, Kay Ellen King, Roy Knight, Jr., Fire Chief Russ Strohpaul, Dave Reisinger.

Moved by Schreiner, supported by Stevens that the minutes of the meeting of February 8, 1993, be approved as presented. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Citizens who wish to speak. None. Communications were received and noted. M.M.L. Legislative Bulletins - 3. Save the DNR Communications. GUDA Information.

Moved by Golinick, supported by Stevens to renew Associate Membership of GUDA for \$20 for another year. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Moved by Golinick, supported by Akers that Mr. Stevens attend the Annual Dinner for GUDA on Thursday, March 11th on behalf of the City and that the city will pay for two tickets for Mr. Stevens and his guest. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Crawford County Board Meeting Minutes of February 10, 1993, and Crawford County Board Agenda for the Meeting of February 24, 1993.

Old Business. Engineering Invoices for Wastewater Plant Work.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Schreiner that the invoice from Richards & Associates in the amount of \$4,747.17 be paid for professional services rendered for Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements for the period January 1, 1993, through January 31, 1993. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Moved by Schreiner, supported by Akers that the invoice from Richards & Associates in the amount of \$71.56 be paid for Professional Services rendered for Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Engineering Invoices for General Work. Moved by Golinick, supported by Stevens that the invoice from Richards & Associates in the amount of \$42.94 be paid for work completed on Primary Power. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Schreiner that the invoice from Richards & Associates in the amount of \$85.88 be paid for Professional Services rendered, January 1, 1993, through January 31, 1993. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Consider Zoning Board of Appeals Appointment. No action taken at this time.

New Business. Fire Truck Purchase Discussion with Fire Chief.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Golinick for approval to advertise on bids for purchase of a fire truck and restoring other equipment as recommended by Fire Chief Strohpaul. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

City Police Car Purchase Authorization. Moved by Golinick, supported by Akers for authorization to purchase a 1993 Chevrolet Caprice Patrol Vehicle for \$13,410 for the City Police Department from Shaheen Chevrolet. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Reports of City Manager. Mr. Morford reported on the following.

Participation on April 16, 1993, in conjunction with the Chamber of Commerce regarding EXPO 93 at Grayling High School.

M.M.L. Legislative Conference last week in Lansing.

Reports of Council Members.

Al Schreiner would like the city manager to compliment the DPW on snow removal during this last storm.

Adjournment.

Moved by Golinick, supported by Stevens that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m. Jerry Morford City Manager & City Clerk

Bowling League

Recreation League

Sears of Grayling	26-14
Shel Haven	25.5-14.5
Mickey Perez	21.5-18.5
Glen's Market	20.5-19.5
Cornell Real Estate	18.5-21.5
Poterson Saw Service	18.5-21.5
Scheer Motors	15.5-24.5
Holiday Inn	14-26
High Game: L. Dellar, 210, G. Neilson, 203, L. Schoer, 193. High Series: L. Dellar, 527, P. Terry, 486, G. Neilson, M. Perez, 471.	

Pioneer League

Custom Interiors	27.5-16.5
CCTA	26-18
F.O.E. Auxiliary	25.5-18.5
Chemical Bank	24-20
Avalanche	22-22
Mersey Hospital	20.5-23.5
Millikins	19.5-24.5
Aunt Betty's	12-32
High Game: S. Rioux, 195, M. Bartel, 193, B. Ziehm, 188. High Series: J. Hinds, 507, I. Hatfield, 498, S. Rioux, 490.	

Senior Citizen Bowling

Sylvester's	65-39
Totten's	60-44
Weaver's	58-46
Lany & Joan's	52-52
McLeans	51-53
Flowers by Josie	44-60
Cornell's	44-60
Buccilli's	42-62
Men's High Game: G. Wolfe, 190, D. Germain, 186, G. Miller, L. Demorest, 176. Men's High Series: D. Germain, 525, G. Miller, 504, G. Wolfe, 499.	
Women's High Game: J. Miller, 171, F. Weaver, 160, G. Donnelly, 155. Women's High Series: J. Miller, 462, G. Donnelly, 447, D. Burrick, 424.	

American 2nd Division

Northland Appliance	7-1
McLean's	5-3
Glen's	5-3
Upper Lakes	5-3
Swamp II	4-4
Hardee's	3-5
American Legion	2-6
Skips	1-7

Dart League

League Standings	
McLeans Ace Hardware	26-10
Bullshy	24-12
Quick Points	21-15
Mike's Marauders	16-20
Dart Demons	12-24
Hot Shots	9-27
Match Results	
Quick Points	6-3
Dart Demons	3-6
Bullshy	6-3
Mike's Marauders	6-3
McLeans Ace Hardware	3-6
Hot Shots	3-6

High Game: L. Davis Jr., 212, J. Keir, 210, D. Mansfield, T. Harmer, 208. High Series: P. Nunn, 575, J. Keir, 547, T. Kotrash, 543.

National 1st Division

Spikes Keg O' Nails	16-12
Sears	16-12
Northland Appliance	15-13
Sutles	15-13
Budweiser	14-14
Frederic Inn	14-14
Carlisle Paddles	13-15
Georgia Pacific	9-19
High Game: B. Annis, 223, K. Lovely, J. Helsel, D. Canfield, 221, J. Neeley, 219. High Series: P. Wilson, 591, D. Kohnert, 566, J. Neeley, 563.	

Triangle League

Ed's Team	84.5-43.5
Wolohan Lumber	73-55
R & R Auto Sales	70-58
Milltown Feed	62-66
R & R Computers	52-76
Red Barn	42.5-25.5
High Game: R. Mahaffy, 212, T. Kohnert, 201, S. Miller, 197. High Series: B. Kohnowski, 555, T. Kohnert, 542, R. Mahaffy, 507.	

Northwood League

McLeans Ace Hardware	28
Doc Deans	24
Subway	21
Goodale's Bakery	20
Bubbles Belles	19
Graceful Grammas	18
Ben Franklin	18
Beano Cuts	12
High Game: T. Raybould, 183, T. Jones, 182, M. Miller, 172. High Series: M. Miller, 486, T. Jones, 457, B. Helsel, 456.	

Friday Night Mixed Doubles

Deb & Dale's	16.5-3.5
Albies	15-5
Aunt Bettys	13-7
AJD	13-7
Mohiers	7-13
K & D	6-14
Milltown Drywall	5-15
Schreibers	4.5-15.5
Men's High Game: M. Campbell, 205, R.	

GRA Youth Indoor Soccer

Collegiate League	
Thunderbolts	2-0
Strikers	1-1
Hurricanes	1-1
Tornados	0-2
Pee Wee League	
Stars	2-0
Rockets	1-1
Lightnings	1-1
Comets	0-2

Moshier, 192, J. Campbell, 187. Men's High Series: M. Campbell, 531, R. Moshier, 491, J. Campbell, 479.

Women's High Game: C. Campbell, K. Lozon, 166, K. Moshier, M. Moshier, 161. Women's High Series: K. Lozon, 468, M. Moshier, 425, C. Moon, 408.

American First Division

CSI	11
Sylvesters	11
C. H. Pick & Sons	10
Grayling Ford	7.5
John-Al Construction	7
Riverside Tavern	7
K of C	5.5
Barber Construction	5
High Game: R. Case, 204, T. Messerschmidt, 193, L. D. Nonman, 194. High Series: T. Messerschmidt, 566, R. Case, 554, L. D. Nonman, 553.	

Sunday Afternoon Fun League

Legion	35
Helsels Forest	32.5
Parsons	32.5
Grayling Restaurant	25
Old Kent	23
Carquest	22
Lovells Hardware	12
Spikes	10
Men's High Game: K. Lovely, 231, P. Hetrick, 211, Jack, 208. Men's High Series: P. Hetrick, 561, K. Lovely, 558, J. Helsel, 540.	
Women's High Game: E. Helsel, 196, S. Romain, 191, B. Helsel, D. Royce, 176. Women's High Series: E. Helsel, 524, S. Romain, 521, D. Royce, 488.	


Thursday Coffee League

The Mothers	35
Pittman Rentals	30
Lone Pine	25
Ole Dam	23.5
Legion Lanes	23.5
W 2 Bookkeeping	21
AuSable	17
Dan's Dolls	17
High Game: S. Reilly, 192, S. Romain, M. Miller, 190, D. Buccilli, G. Germain, 188. High Series: S. Romain, 534, M. Miller, 531, S. Reilly, 517.	

Pool League

Grayling Men's Pool League 3-8-93	
Spikes	184-122
Weyerhaeuser	166-140
Frederic Inn	160-146
Plaza	133-173
Red Barn	126-180
Copper Kettle	N/A
Swamp II	N/A

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PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held on Friday, March 26, 1993, at 11:00 am during the regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Commission to discuss the County 3 year Transportation Improvement Plan. Public meeting will be jointly hosted by Crawford County Road Commission, Crawford County Transit Authority, and City of Grayling.

Board of Crawford County Road Commission
Clyde Anthony, Chairman
Kenneth Chapp, Member
Robert Nelson, Member

-11-1

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

City of Grayling
103 E. James Street
Grayling, Michigan 49738

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 103 E. James Street, Grayling, Michigan until 10 am E.S.T., Thursday, April 6, 1993, for the 1993 Street Improvement and Sidewalk Project.

The approximate quantities of the major items in Contract 1 are as follows:

Remove Existing Asphalt Surface	2,050	SYD
Mill Existing Asphalt Surface	10,200	SYD
6" Water Main	270	LFT
8" Sanitary Sewer	225	LFT
8" & 10" Storm Sewer	370	LFT
Concrete Curb & Gutter	10,500	LFT
Bituminous Mix No. 1100 20A	8,400	TON

The approximate quantities of the major items in Contract 2 are as follows:

Sidewalk Removal	2,050	SYD
4" Concrete Sidewalk	57,100	SFT
6" Concrete Sidewalk	5,300	SFT
Concrete Curb & Gutter	570	LFT

A Certified Check, Cashiers Check or Bid Bond in the amount of 5% of the bid must accompany each proposal.

The Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:
City Manager's Office Grayling, Michigan
Richards & Associates, Inc. Traverse City, Michigan
Builders & Traders Exchange Traverse City & Saginaw, MI
F.W. Dodge Lansing & Grand Rapids, MI
Construction Assoc. of MI Detroit, Michigan

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of Richards & Associates, Inc., 1783 Barlow, Traverse City, Michigan, 49684. A non-refundable fee of \$40 if mailed or \$35 if picked up will be required for each set of Contract Documents. Both Contracts are in one set of documents.

The owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive irregularities in any bid and to accept the bid they deem in the best interest of the City of Grayling. No contractor may withdraw his bid for a period of thirty days after the opening of the bids.

March 9, 1993

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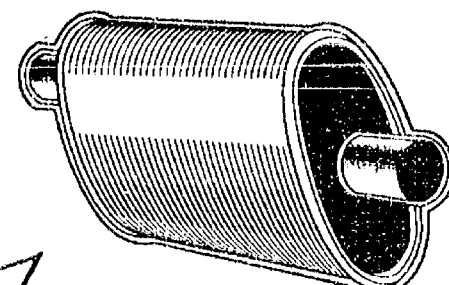
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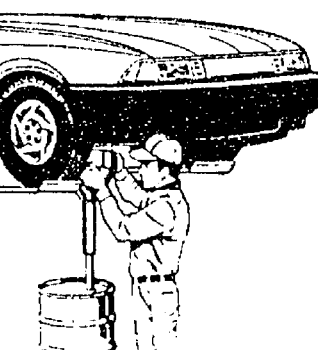
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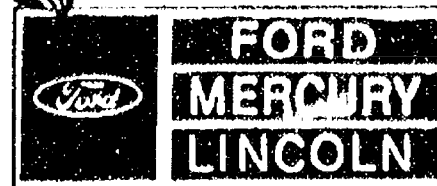
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Harvesting seeds from native grasses may well make a major contribution to reclaiming areas that have had

unusually heavy use on Camp Grayling property. That comment was made recently by John Hunt, Camp Grayling

Environmental Manager, as he described the planting of a parcel of land known as Engineer Valley. He said that a total of 37 acres were

reclaimed last year but the project is continuing even through the winter. He noted that there is an old borrow area where the land is being sloped,

leveled, and eventually reseeded.

It was suggested by biologists that the native grass seeds would go much further in guaranteeing that germination and growth would occur, Hunt said.

The valley was planted with 1,000 red pine and 650 shrubs as well as seeded. The first step was to top soil an area of about 20 acres, and then close off some of the unneeded roads, Hunt said. Signs have been placed indicating that it is a land rehabilitation project.

Hunt said that once all the data is in covering the entire camp, areas more suited to the heavy use that was experienced at Engineer Valley will be chosen. He explained that special use plots will be selected that will eventually tell what type of use can be made of the land. This summer 60 to 80 of the plots will be selected. These plots, under a program called Land Condition Trend Analysis, will provide

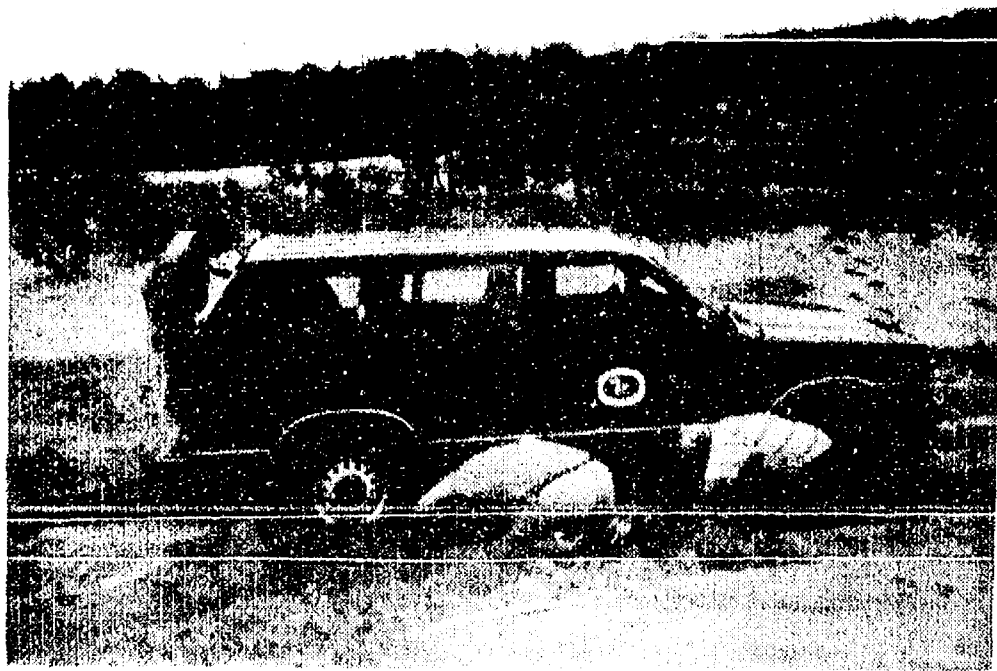
(This is the second in a series of three articles dealing with the Integrated Training Area Management Program (ITAM) at Camp Grayling. It will help determine the land's ability to support training with the least impact on natural resources including wildlife habitat. The first article discussed a plant and animal survey by the Nature Conservancy. The last article will deal with a data retrieval system which will interpret information such as maps that will specify, for instance, hardwood forests on camp property.)

information on natural resources and a means to monitor impacts on them. Other organizations such as the Nature Conservancy, DNR or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will be welcome to select plot areas, Hunt commented.

Hunt said, "We will place the 20-by-100-foot plots for particular reasons such as the Kirtland's Warbler management area, the irrigation area next to the water treatment plant and places hit hardest by the gypsy moth." Other locations will include spots of heavy training such as those where tracked vehicles travel or where troops bivouac regularly. Hunt noted that by looking at the data on an area with heavy damage and another that has suffered less and comparing it with type of soil and ground cover on each, it will be possible to assign locations that will be less likely to be harmed.

At the beginning of the program the Corps of Engineers Research Laboratory, who designed the entire project, selected 180 plots at random. They were computer picked, Hunt pointed out, but picked so that there is a good representation of soil types and cover. Each spot will be monitored every year to determine if there are any changes such as growth of trees, height of plants and identification of new plants, Hunt said. Each year's information will add to the data so that better conclusions can be obtained, he said.

Hunt said that these test plots will provide information to other organizations such as the DNR, Nature Conservancy and Forest Service, as well as Camp Grayling. "These groups have many research ideas but no funding," he commented. "We have the methodology, the plots, the equipment and people to assist these groups," Hunt said.



SANDY VALLEY—Camp Grayling personnel examine the barren area called Engineer Valley only to find that the terrain will not even support a car.



RECLAIMED LAND—The same general area in Engineer Valley after it has been coated with soil in preparation for planting.

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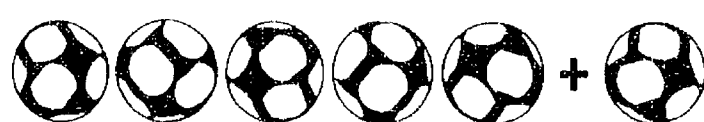
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